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Later News in Six o'clock Extra.

THAT POLISH WEDDING ROW

RESULTS IN A NUMBER OF FINES IN COURT TODAY.

Judge Hadley Gives a Young Man Timely Warning on the Drunk Habit—Much Money Collected in Fines.

There was an array of drunks in court this morning that nearly equalled that of the famous Monday a few weeks ago when the "soaks" to the number of 70 odd were in court.

But there was a record broken this time, however, for the patrol wagon made more trips on Saturday than on any one day since its introduction to the police department.

They were of all kinds and conditions, and many were from out-of-town, and had acquired the drunkenness habit since their arrival in town.

Some had damaged faces, Patrick Healey, in particular, for Healy fell on Gorham street, injuring his eye very badly.

Twelve drunks, who were never before the court before, were allowed to go.

Among those released was a very respectable appearing young man and to him Judge Hadley said "Did you see those young men marching through the streets the other night?" The prisoner replied affirmatively. "If you will join one of their societies," then said the court "you will not be coming in here to the disgrace of yourself and friends."

Eight Sunday drunks were fined the usual amount, $5.

Kate O'Connor, who distinguished herself some time ago by jumping into the river, was in for drunkenness and she denied the charge with great emphasis. She was fined $3.

Alphonse Durant was arrested by Officer Lennon for drunkenness and assault on Josephine Leferrier. He pleaded not guilty and retained Lawyer Hamil as counsel. His case was put off until the drunks were finished.

John Quinn of Suffolk street, an elderly man who is well known to the police, was found lying across the corporation tracks on Bridge street in a state of beastly intoxication Saturday noon. Officer Tilton arrested him. He asked to be sent to the farm and when given a sentence of five months at that institution, he said, "I'm willing to go there."

Michael Murtagh went up to the same institution for half a year.

"Felix Burke," who was done up by the Poles on William street, Saturday night, turned out to be Felix Berlinski, and of a different nationality than his name would imply, pleaded guilty to the charge of drunkenness.

"Burke is near enough," said Lawyer Rivet, his lawyer.

Then four Poles were called for drunkenness. Each had a jaw-breaking name, and when a boy was found who could interpret their language two pleaded guilty and two not.

The first called had a name which sounded like Henrich Drinski. He admitted that he was drunk. The second appeared to be Kismes Foggy or something similar, and Kismes said he was not drunk. Officer Hickson saw Foggy drop a knife.

Officer Hickson testified that all parties concerned were at a wedding and that "Burke" was licked. They raise similar rackets every Saturday night and "I have great difficulty in telling them apart. There are so many who resemble each other," said the officer. Foggy was fined $5, Drinsky was fined $5, Nowski was fined $5 and so were Burke and Dowiski. The clerk nearly had a fit when he got over the names. Officer Bumps afterwards had considerable fun in collecting their fines.

Alphonse Durant, for alleged assault was dismissed.

Patrick McCourt assaulted his wife and will do five months in jail.

Patrick McQuade appealed from a sentence of five months in jail for drunkenness and was held in $200 bonds.

Annie Dugan, for drunkenness, was sent to jail for five months.

Some Horse Gossip.

The Saugus trotting meeting opens tomorrow with a great entry list. So many are there in the 2.26 pace that this class will be split, making an extra race for Wednesday.

Among the horses entered is: Frank Ladd's Conemur, from the Oakland farm.

Haverhill and Lawrence are out with speed cards. Entries for the latter close today, while the entries for Haverhill close Oct. 22. Both these tracks have paid big money this season, a good indication for the North Chelmsford track.

Nearly a Freeze Out.

The appropriation for the Centralville sewer is nearly exhausted, and with the money remaining, it is thought the sewer cannot go any further than Billings street.

Japanese Ware Slaughtered.

We are having a sale this week on Japanese novelties. The prices are marked away down. See the goods in our corner window. The U. S. Tea Co., corner Central and Prescott streets.

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BOWLING TALK

Redivision of the State League May be Tried.

SCHEDULE FOR THE WINTER TO BE REPORTED SOON.

Miserables Team and Substitutes are Already Picked.

All that remains to be done now before the Massachusetts Amateur Bowling league's championship season opens formally is the acceptance of the schedule committee's report. This is almost due, and then the teams will straighten out on the four months or more of competition for the league honors and prizes, says the Herald.

The rule of the league states that the report of the schedule must be submitted on or before Oct. 22d, so at the latest the schedule will be submitted and acted on by a week from today, if not before.

As yet the meeting has not been called. It is possible that an attempt will be made to again redivision the league for the coming contest. This question occupied no end of time at the last meeting of the managers, and if ever a question was freely discussed this was. All sides had an inning, and at the end of it all it was decided to abide by the league rule, and so it was left. The question now is whether the delegates, should the matter come up again, after declaring themselves at the last meeting as favoring the old way, will change their position.

Although the bowling championship has not opened, these are great days at the clubs and at most of the alleys. Aspirants for positions on the various teams in the several clubs are out in force and

New and Old Hands at the Game

are giving each other a go at the pins, each one no doubt hoping to obtain a place on the team and represent their club in the coming battle of balls and pins.

In some of the clubs the activity and interest shown in the game are more than ordinarily marked, and goes a long way to show that the coming bowling season is going to be a season par excellence. Not only is this interest found among the bowlers in the clubs which are represented in the league, but outside as well. Other leagues on a smaller scale are beginning to take shape, and are getting together for a winter of fine sport, seasoned by competition. In fact everything is bright and the outlook good for a splendid season at the favorite amateur winter game.

In the present make-up of the divisions some of the old teams will find themselves travelling in new company, some having gone up and others down. For instance, of the clubs of last year's first division all that remain in division for this year are the Vespers, Casinos, B.A.A.'s and the Salems. The Les Miserables are in this division, having jumped from last year's third division into fourth place in the first, rating ahead of the Salems. The Melrose Athletics rank sixth in this year's first division, having moved up from last year's second division. The Old Dorchesters rate last in the first division, from the fact that the Newton club did not re-enter its team in this year's competition. If Newton had come in the Old Dorchesters would have been first in this year's second division.

Of this year's second division teams those that were in the same division last season are the Jamaicas, Arlingtons, Lowells, Highlands, and Allstons. In this division two of last year's first squad are to roll, the Reviews and Waverlys rating fifth and eighth respectively. The remaining two teams in the division are the 99th Artillery and the Charlestowns, both of which have risen from the third division of last season, and rank second and seventh respectively.

The Cosmans, Dorchester Centrals and the Melrose teams of

This Season's Third Division

were in the same division last season, and the Jeffries and Oxford teams, which now rank first and third in this division, were second division teams last season. The Kernwoods, Highlands of Melrose and the Medfords complete the division, and have no rating for last season.

This changing about as outlined above adds greatly to the interest, as new teams in the divisions give a variety that would not be secured if the same teams were meeting each other one year after the other, and also leaves the result in the divisions more uncertain.

This week will be a lively one with practice matches all around, and several teams will visit each other.

The Miserables team has been picked and will be made up as follows: John B. Swift, Joseph T. Purcell, James McLaughlin, Henry J. Farrell and Charles L. Marron. The substitutes are W. J. Kelley, John T. Seede, Joseph F. Donahoe and Peter A. Savage.

PERSONAL.

Miss Leona A. Shecks of Rock street has returned from Portland, Me.

Mr. and Mrs. Julian Talbot have returned from Kennebunkport, Me.

Miss Lucy Bennett has resigned as librarian at the Bennett library in Billerica.

Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Wood of Wannalancit street spent yesterday at Pigeon Cove.

Mr. Amasa Pratt and Alderman G. E. Stanley have been spending a few days at Squirrel island, Me.

Mrs. R. D. Everett and Miss Everett of Boston are visiting Mrs. C. H. Connut of Huntington avenue.

Mrs. O'Donnell, wife of Officer Peter O'Donnell, is very seriously ill at her home, 444 Merrimack street.

Hon. Jeremiah Crowley has gone to Nashville, Tenn, Thomas Costello and P. F. Sullivan to Atlanta, Ga.

Mr. Charles E. Adams will be a guest at the Ohio state board of commerce meeting to be held in Columbus, next month.

Miss McDuffee, of Dr. Sargent's physical culture school at Cambridge, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Philbrick of Walker street.

It is announced that Hon. Fred Douglass of Philadelphia will attend and speak at the coming American Missionary convention in this city. It will be his first visit here since the late Gen. Butler ran for congress.

Did You Get a Ticket?

The Young Men's Catholic Literary society met yesterday afternoon and appointed two committees to bring in a list of candidates to be balloted for at the election to be held October 28. Tickets were distributed for the essay and declamation contest to be held next Sunday evening. Seven propositions were received.

5 O'CLOCK

LOCAL NOTES.

Rev. W. H. Rogers of Swampscott preached at the Chelmsford street church yesterday.

Miss Annie Dorsey of New York is the guest of Miss Julia Halloran of East Merrimack street.

Wm. G. Lawson of this city, clerk at Mystic wharf, Boston, is suffering from writers' cramp, or pen paralysis.

There will be a regular meeting of the aldermen and a special meeting of the council tomorrow evening to take action on the blanket loan of $100,000.

Mr. Thomas O'Toole and Miss Mary Doherty, both of Lowell, were married by George F. Jackson, Esq., Saturday afternoon at his office in Nashua.

Charles Bowen, an old man, entered the police station this morning in custody of an officer from Wilton, N. H. Bowen recently escaped from the workhouse there. He was arrested by Officer Holland on Market street and turned over to the Wilton officer.

Report of a Year.

The following is an extract from the report of Mrs. A. E. Foster of the W. C. T. U. rooms: Number of visitors during the year, 2551. A loan library has been established which has been added to from time to time, and through the kindness of the city press the tables have been supplied with current literature. A large number of papers and leaflets especially relating to the work and to the work of temperance in general have been given to visitors. Several gifts have been received from friends for the rooms which helped in making it attractive.

Many young women have come to the rooms for sympathy and assistance, and as far as possible have received both. The importance of having headquarters for the work in our city, has become an established fact, and the more so as the necessity for the work increases. In order to maintain this we are largely dependent upon those are interested in temperance. To all who have thus far assisted us we tender our thanks, and earnestly request their future co-operation.

Mr. Adams' Interesting Part.

At the convention of the National Paint, Oil and Varnish association held in Boston last week, Charles E. Adams of this city, as chairman of the postal committee, introduced a resolution which was unanimously adopted, asking that congress be urged to improve the mail service by eliminating from second-class matter, serial publications and trashy literature; also the consolidation of third and fourth-class matter, and the reduction to one cent postage for letters when these changes are made.

The Amend Honorable.

The unjust criticism of Prof. Mireault and his band, on the occasion of the parade Thursday night, by the Mail has happily been rectified today in a statement in that paper. THE SUN had received a communication in reply to that criticism, but as the Mail made honorable amend the communication is unnecessary. Prof. Mireault and his band are so well known that the extent of the charges in the criticism were so surprising that they were not believed. The incident has only created warmer feeling toward the musicians on the part of the public.

Did He Lose $160?

An old man complained at the police station, Saturday night, that while looking for a boarding house on the Hamilton corporation a drunken man offered to escort him to a desirable house. Soon after he learned that he had been robbed of $160. A man was subsequently arrested on suspicion but had no money on his person, and the old man could not identify him.

Incidents Where Blood Flowed.

Patrick Healey while "seeing the elephant" fell on Gorham street and cut a gash in his forehead from which the blood flowed like water. Dr. Ricker took several stitches in the wound after stopping the claret.

A drunken mill operative in a Massachusetts corporation boarding house last night started in to whip his wife and did nothing more than to put his fist through a window cutting himself quite badly.

A Yokel in Trouble.

John Comptois, a Frenchman living in North Chelmsford drove to Little Canada where he took in the sights and considerable whiskey, Saturday. He had a row with the natives and his horse kicked the wagon to which it was harnessed into kindling wood, to add to its owner's misfortune. Comptois got the worst of the fight and wound up his unlucky junket by getting arrested. He had $104 with him when locked up.

Activity in Every Branch.

The W. C. T. U. union has re-elected the following officers unanimously: Pres. Mrs. M. P. Wilson; Rec. Sec., Mrs. M. A. Whittier; Treas., Mrs. J. D. Hartwell. The yearly reports show a marked increase in the membership of the union and a corresponding activity in all its lines of work.

Newspaper Man Won.

The Vesper individual bowling tournament came to an end Saturday night and Rodney F. Hemenway won first place. The other winners were C. S. Foss and Harry J. Corwin. There were surprises all along the line.

Won Their Law Suits.

Thomas Morris and John Boulger who sued the Tremont Tailoring company of Boston in Superior court, won their cases today, getting a verdict of $36.02. This was the clothing suit case.

A Drunken Cow.

A cow belonging to Richard Curtin, the well known artist with the razor, ate a barrel of cider apples last week and got drunk, in which state she stayed for two days.

Keep Off The Grass.

A portion of city hall lot has been sodded, and planted thereon are the usual signs of warning; "Keep off the grass."

Hogan Says Hands Up.

Charles Hogan of the post office is again purchasing large instalments of cigars. This time it's a girl.

Marriage Intentions.

The following intentions were recorded at the city clerk's office today:

Thomas Demang 29, to Melvin Landry 28.
Frank Bornilo 20, to Jennie Lavallee 16.
William H. McCarthy 20, to Mary Fitzgerald 18.
Daniel J. Crowe 23, to Margaret Gamly 21.

Old newspapers 5 cents a hundred at THE SUN office.

SOME MEN NEVER KNOW WHEN THEY ARE DEAD.

It is just about this time of the year that our esteemed brethern, editors of Republican journals, write ancient political "gulch" under the supposition that the People will think it is fresh sermons on texts of the times. Like Bill McKinley who is riding a free elephant to death, they have a happy faculty of believing the whole people can be humbugged all the time in a political way.

THEATRICAL NEWS.

Another great week for theatrical attractions in the Opera house and Music hall is ahead, and patrons had better open their pocket books in preparation. At the Opera house tonight Pawn Ticket 210 will be the attraction. It is an adaptation from the drama Court Royal which years ago brought fame and fortune to the charming Lotta. It is a drama of thrilling interest throughout, with situations strongly dramatic but not overdrawn.

Marie Jansen than whom there is no better favorite coming here will present her bright play Miss Dynamite tomorrow evening, and it ought to create as big a vacuum among the usual stay at homes as a charge of dynamite in a stubborn ledge.

Thursday evening, Helen Dauvray, wife of John Montgomery Ward, an ex-king of the diamond, will present her season's success That Sister of His, or a Sensation in Bangs. With Annie Ward Tiffany at the head of her support there need little be said about the quality of her company or the merit of her production.

At Popular Prices.

Colonel and I, is the enticing title of a farce comedy at the cosy family theatre Music hall, for the first three evenings. We bespeak for it big business, as the company and its comedy come here from lucrative fields elsewhere with nothing but good words spoken for it. The company includes some clever people, who, together make an entertainment refined clean, bright and humorous, and which is full weight in return for popular prices. Managers Thomas and Watson are outdoing all past records in providing a fine class of attractions, although the season is young yet. Don't overlook their announcements.

FUNERAL SERVICES.

The funeral of Mary Wheeler took place yesterday afternoon from her late home 352 Broadway and was largely attended. The remains were interred in the Catholic cemetery where the committal service was read by Rev. Fr. Leonard of St. Patrick's church.

The funeral of Margaret Dixon took place yesterday afternoon from 58 Church street, services being conducted by Robert McJennett. The bearers were Messrs. Kerr, Campbell, Wilmot and Calvin. Burial was in the Edson cemetery.

Services were held over the remains of Elizabeth Hamblett at 19 Belmont street Saturday afternoon. There was a large attendance of friends and relatives. Rev. F. O. Hall and Rev. George W. Bicknell conducted the service. The bearers were Messrs. Whitcomb, Sprague, Scripture and Brown. Interment was in the Edson cemetery.

Rev. F. O. Hall and Rev. George W. Bicknell conducted services yesterday over the remains of Albert W. Sayles at his late home, 649 Westford street. The bearers were Joel Knapp, W. F. Morey, O. M. Silver and Archibald Bissell. The remains were interred in the Lowell cemetery.

The funeral of Alice Cunningham took place from her parents' home on Cady street and was very largely attended. The remains were taken to St. Peter's church where services were conducted by Rev. Fr. McDonough. The bearers were six young friends of the deceased. There were numerous floral offerings. Interment was in the Catholic cemetery.

ORGANIZED WORKERS.

What They Did at Their Meeting Yesterday—Big Sum of Money Sent to the New Bedford Strikers.

The Central Labor union held its shortest session of the year yesterday. The epitome of the business is as follows:

The secretary reported that he had received from Carroll D. Wright 15 volumes of the seventh annual report of the commissioners of labor; also from James C. Murray, state inspector of factories, a copy of the laws relating to the duties of factory owners.

The cotton spinners reported that their union had forwarded $585 to the aid of the New Bedford strikers.

The legislative committee reported that it had mailed its list of queries to local candidates for political office in the November elections.

The organizing committee reported that it had requested the bakers and card-workers to communicate with Mr. Connolly or Mr. Weeks, informing them of a date and place to meet and address them on the benefits of organization.

Business in Making Voters.

There were 61 applicants for registration Saturday afternoon and evening. Of this number 59 went through all right, one had been registered before and the other was unable to read or write.

☞About 41 persons were naturalized at the police court Saturday afternoon.

Will Meet in Lowell.

The Merrimack Valley Congregationalists will meet with Rev. Mr. Kenngott's church, Wednesday evening, while the Merrimack Valley Baptist social union will meet with Rev. Dr. Seymour's church the same evening.

FROM THE POLITICAL FIELD.

WHAT A LAWRENCE PAPER THINKS OF MR. FIFIELD.

The Ward Six Democratic Club to Look Into the New Caucus Law—The Rev. A. P. A. Dunn's Final Back Down From Accepting Rev. Fr. O'Brien's Challenge.

The Rev. Dr. Dunn, A. P. A., preached in his church yesterday upon the order of which he is the spokesman and leader. He read his letter declining Rev. Fr. O'Brien's challenge to submit the charges against Catholics to a commission of six Protestant gentlemen.

A reporter waited on Rev. John O'Brien at his residence on 6th street, in East Cambridge, last evening, and his attention was called to the address delivered by Dr. Dunn in the People's temple during the afternoon. Asked what he had to say in reply, Fr. O'Brien said:

"I am extremely sorry that my offer, made in good faith and for the public good, to submit the issue raised by Dr. Dunn in the Boston Advertiser, to a commission of reputable Protestant gentlemen, should be the occasion of such an unseemly exhibition of bad temper and unchristian misrepresentation, and that, too, in a church dedicated to the worship of God and to that christian charity and good-will among men for which I fondly believe every church stands.

"Of course I cannot be expected to carry on a newspaper controversy with my friend Dr. Dunn.

"The people who could hiss the honored name of the president of Harvard university would not be likely to give me a fair hearing or be influenced by reason, logic or common sense.

"Mr. Dunn's unseemly and angry discussion of my offer is the best proof the public could have that this offer is the only sensible and practical way of getting at the real facts and the truth of the case.

"As I said in my letter to the Advertiser the real question is whether the allegiance of Catholics in the United States is limited of affected by the teachings of the pope in this encyclical or by the teachings of the church in such a way that it is different from the allegiance of good Protestant christians who acknowledge God as the supreme ruler of the world and obey his command in the scriptures: 'Render to Cæsar the things that are Cæsar's and to God the things that are God's.'

"I proposed that the settlement of this question should be left in the hands of a commission of Protestant gentlemen, with Judge Hoar to act as chairman. The public, aside from Mr. Dunn's peculiar hearers and followers, will, I am sure, agree with me in saying that this plan is in every way fair, worthy of the dignity of the Christian character of the issue, raised in good faith I prefer to believe by my friend, Mr. Dunn. He refuses to submit his contention for examination and final settlement to a body of Protestant gentlemen who have the confidence and respect of the country.

"This being the present situation of affairs I cannot be expected to take further notice of Mr. Dunn's charges."

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The Ward Six democratic club held a meeting yesterday and elected officers for the ensuing year. Mr. Tompkins withdrew as a candidate for president in favor of Mr. Hourihan, who was elected. The other officers were: J. J. Delaney, vice president; James Mack, secretary; Dennis O'Neil, treasurer; board of government, Thomas Calnan, chairman; James Farrell, secretary; P. J. Cassidy, Frank Breen, William Gormly, John McCarron, Felix McKeon.

After the business meeting a discussion arose relative to the new caucus law. It was voted to instruct the secretary to get a copy for the next meeting. It was voted to procure a flag to be unfurled at the new quarters, which will be ready for occupancy at the next meeting.

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Says the Lawrence Saturday Evening Star:

Lawrence will make an excellent showing in the congressional contest.

Mr. Knox is not popular here at home with his own party, and some pretty prominent republicans will mark a cross on election day against the name of Geo. W. Fifield.

The more Lawrence people learn of Mr. Fifield, the more they admire him.

First impressions go a long distance and the first impressions that Lawrence people got of Mr. Fifield were favorable in the extreme.

Mr. Fifield is not one of those public officials that cringe and grovel for political preferment. As mayor of Lowell he gave the city high-minded and able service, and his administration takes first rank for efficiency and worth. He stands well to the fore as a business man, and is honored and respected throughout the length and breadth of Lowell.

Such a man have the democrats nominated for Congress and he ought to win. He stands for the people and for popular measures, and he will be found strongest among the strong when the votes, on election day, are counted.

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Governor Greenhalge is getting ready for the fall campaign. He will speak at Hyde Park, this evening, at Springfield tomorrow evening and at Holyoke, Wednesday evening.

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Hugh Riley has announced himself as a candidate for overseer of the poor in Ward Three.

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John J. Keefe is a candidate for the democratic nomination for overseer of the poor in Ward Five. Mr. Keefe is at present a member of the board and has been for several years. He is a popular young man and feels sure of success should he receive the nomination.

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Among the council candidates in Ward One is William Lyons at present a member of the city committee. He is well known throughout the ward and his friends are making an excellent rally for his success.

DEATHS.

James Chatbourne, aged 28 years, died Saturday at 1 Dexter place, South Boston. The remains were brought to this city this noon and interred in the Catholic cemetery. He leaves a sister who resides on the Massachusetts corporation in this city.

Honora Sullivan, aged 8 months, child of Philip and Hannah Sullivan, died Saturday night at their home, 453 Lawrence street. The funeral took place this afternoon, and the remains were buried in the Catholic cemetery.

Isabella Smith, aged 46 years, died yesterday at the home of her sister, Mrs. C. R. Sprague in North Chelmsford.

Mrs. Mary McDonald, widow of the late Thomas McDonald, died Saturday afternoon at her home, 125 High street. She had been ill but four weeks. She is survived by five sons and two daughters. One of her sons is Capt. M. E. McDonald of the Lowell police department. Funeral services will be held at the Immaculate Conception church Tuesday morning at 9 o'clock. Friends are invited to attend without further notice.

John Keenan, aged 80 years, died last night at his home, 5 Cedar court, off Cedar street. Deceased was a native of Ireland, and came to this city 45 years ago. He was a member of St. Patrick's Temperance society. He leaves two daughters, Kate and Ellen, and two sons, John and Michael. The funeral will take place from St. Peter's church at 9 o'clock tomorrow morning.

Joseph O'Brien, aged 7 months, child of Michael and Alice O'Brien, died yesterday at their home, 69 Fulton street. The funeral took place this afternoon and the remains were interred in the Catholic cemetery.

Susan P. O'Brien, aged 50 years, wife of Patrick O'Brien, a prominent Ward One resident, died this morning at her home, 12 Cross street.

Harriet A. Parker, wife of Frederick J. Parker, died yesterday at her home in Graniteville, aged 54 years. Deceased is survived by one daughter.

McManmon, florist, Prescott & Merr'k sts

VICTORY AT LAST.

Eighteenth Street Residents Will Have a Sewer in the Near By and By.

Aldermen Bagley and Lovejoy of the sewer committee met Saturday afternoon and voted to recommend sewers in Eighteenth street, Whitney avenue, Mt. Vernon street and Third avenue.

City Engineer Bowers called the attention of the committee to the need of devising some means to relieve Hale's brook. The board of health claims that the attention of the sewer committee has been called to this place during the past three years and nothing has been done.

The members of the committee agree that something must be done, but as there is no money on hand, they cannot undertake the work, unless a loan is asked for.

Cup Custodian For The Winter.

The last of the individual shoots of the Military Rifle association for the Parker cup, was held at the city farm range, Saturday. Owing to the inclement weather, there were but 10 entries. Private Ed. Worthen of D company was the winner, with a score of 46. The others were Priv. Randall, G Co., 44; Sergt. Colby, C Co., 43; Priv. Robinson, G Co., 43; Lieut. Worthen, D Co., 41; Priv. Baker, G Co., 41; Priv. Rodger, G Co. 40; Priv. Delmage, C Co. 38; Priv. Hames, G Co., 38.

A question as to the ownership of the cup during the winter has arisen. Three men have won it once each, but no one has won it twice. The directors will meet Wednesday to decide the matter.

A Chestnut Item.

Yesterday was a great day for chestnutting. Parties of people in buggies, carryalls, express wagons and on foot made their way to Chestnut woods in Westford and were rewarded for their journey by an ample supply of chestnuts.

LATEST

STRIKE WANING

Half of Fall River's Strikers Went in Today.

MILL MANAGERS PREDICT AN EARLY END OF TROUBLE.

Careful Canvass of the Mills and the Figures Given.

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

FALL RIVER, Oct. 15.—Fully one-half the striking mill operatives went into work this morning, and the mill managers predict that the strike will be a thing of the past by Saturday night.

A careful canvass of the mills shows that out of every 1000 of the 59,879 looms in the city 511 are running.

This includes the Iron works which are running at the old schedule of wages. The striking weavers made a demonstration this morning, but did not disturb the peace.

FROM THE WIRE.

The supply of Columbian dollars put on sale by the treasury will not equal the demand.

The health of the Ameer of Afghanistan is precarious.

The first snow of the season fell at Middleton, N. Y., this morning.

TRIED TO KILL.

Liquor Dealers Held Responsible for an Attempt at Assassination of an Officer.

By Associated Press to THE SUN

BROCKTON, Oct. 15.—Special Officer Edward G. Knight, who did duty at the recent Brockton fair detecting illegal liquor dealers, while riding in an electric car last night was shot at but not hit. A covered carriage came up behind the car and the occupants discharged a shot gun the heavy charge burying itself in the seat under Officer Knight. It is believed the liquor dealers are responsible for the attack on the officer.

"BOB" HOWARD CALLED

To Lead the Democrats of Fall River and New Bedford to Victory.

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

NEW BEDFORD, Oct. 15.—In the democratic congressional convention this morning ex-Senator Robert Howard was nominated for congress.

A HORRIBLE TRAGEDY.

Insane Mother Kills Her Family and Sets a Barn Afire.

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

ELIZABETH, N. J., Oct. 15.—The Harrigan family of four was found in a blazing barn on the outskirts this morning. It is thought that Mrs. Harrigan went insane and taking her three children, aged 6 and 4 years and 14 months, killed them, set fire to the barn and then killed herself.

WITH GREAT PROSPECTS.

Chris Holmes Opens His Bran New Cloak and Suit Parlors, and Under the Most Favorable Auspices.

The opening day of Chris Holmes fine cloak and suit parlors in Masonic Temple was a success beyond expectations, and the patronage already bestowed assures him that his departure has been looked forward to for a long time, and a necessity.

His parlors are not only commodious and convenient but filled with the most desirable of this season's styles in cloaks and suits. For three days the ladies have been visiting the store, and now they will proceed to exchange their cash for a coveted winter garment.

GRAND JURY CASES.

Long List of Offenders From This City Called Before the Grand Jury This Week.

The following Lowell cases will come before the grand jury this week:

George Howard, James Brown, Patrick McKenna, Frank Shaw, larceny; Frederick W. Goodwin, embezzlement; Thomas Flanagan, assault with a dangerous weapon; Edward Murphy, uttering a forged discharge for money; John Joyce, William Fleming, Henry Lynch, Thomas Roy, breaking and entering and larceny; Edward J. Mellen and Catharine Noonan, lewd cohabitation; John J. Fahey William Shea, Timothy Lynch, breaking and entering and larceny; Horman Voys, breaking and entering and larceny; Neil McCrush, breaking and entering and larceny; Peter St. Cyr, embezzlement; Thos. Savage, escape from workhouse; Fred Eno, felonious assault (carnal abuse); Georgianna Morrow, fraudulent conveyance; John M. Vaijo, concealing mortgaged property; Dennis Shea, attempt to break and enter and larceny; Thomas J. Robinson, breaking and entering with attempt to commit larceny; Charles Goodwin and Henry Fahey, attempting to break and enter and commit larceny; H. M. Brown, false pretences; Patrick H. Shea and Henry Buteau, breaking and entering and larceny in a railroad car; Burt Morton alias John Hayes and George Robinson, larceny; James Hicks, breaking and entering and larceny; John McManus and Annie Kelleher, adultery; John P. Laskey and Josephine Daniel, lewd & and lascivious cohabitation; Cornelius Nagle, Patrick Foley and Patrick Sullivan, murder; William W. Geliman, breaking and entering and larceny; Charles Cleveau, breaking and entering and larceny; Joseph Dalgle, breaking and entering and larceny.

Wedding on Saturday.

The wedding of Mrs. Mary E. Ebert, widow of the late H. F. Ebert to Mr. John Knox of Albany, occurred Saturday evening, at the bride's home, on Branch street. Alderman Charles Witt of Albany was best man, and Mrs. Naomi Robinson of Andover stood up with the bride. There will be a reception tomorrow evening. Mr. and Mrs. Knox will live at 11 Deleware street, Albany.

We have at last found a Mackintosh coat that is all right—one that we can sell and recommend.

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Commencing Sept. 30, 1894.

TRAINS LEAVE CENTRAL STREET DEPOT, LOWELL.

For Boston, at 6.50, 8.15, 9.30, 10.50 a. m.; 12.05 12.45, 2.30, 3.25, 4.10, 5.10, 6.15, 7.00, 9.30 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.20 a. m., 12.05, 4.15, 5.35, 7.25 p. m.

For Lawrence, 8.30, 9.30, 10.50, a. m.; 12.05, 2.30, 3.25, 4.10, 5.10, 6.15, 7.00, 9.30 (11.25 Wednesdays and Saturdays only) p.m. SUNDAYS, 8.20 a. m., 12.05, 5.35, 7.25 p. m.

For Haverhill, 8.30, 9.30 a. m.; 12.05, 2.30, 3.25, 4.10, 5.10, 6.15, 7.00, 9.30, (11.25 Wednesdays and Saturdays only) p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.20 a. m., 12.05, 5.35, 7.25 p. m.

For Salem and Lynn, 12.05, 5.10 p. m.

For Newburyport and Amesbury, 12.05, 2.30, 4.10, 6.15 p. m.

For Exeter, and Dover, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 3.25, 4.10, 5.10 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.35 p.m.

For Rochester and Alton Bay, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 4.10 p. m.

For Somersworth, N.H., Salmon Falls Saco and Portland, 8.30 a.m.; 12.05, 4.10, 5.10 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.35 p.m.

For Augusta, Bath, Lewiston, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 4.10 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.35 p. m.

For Bangor; Belfast, Waterville, Skowhegan, Rockland, 8.30 a. m., 12.05, 5.10 p.m. SUNDAYS, 5.35 p. m.

For St. John N. B., Halifax, N. S., Montreal, and Quebec, 8.30 a. m., 5.10 p. m. (5.10 does not run Saturdays); SUNDAY, 5.35 p. m.

For Eastport and St. John's (per steamer), on Mondays and Fridays at 12.05 p. m.

For Castine, Deer Isle, Sedgwick and Bar Harbor, Jonesport and Machiasport (via steamer Frank Jones at Rockland), Tuesdays and Fridays at 5.10 p. m.

Southern Division.

On and After Sept. 30, 1894, Trains Leave Merrimack Street Depot, Lowell, as Follows:—

For Boston—5.45, 6.30, ¶6.50, *7.45, *8.50, ¶9.00, *9.40, 11.00 a. m.; 1.40, ¶3.00, 4.30, ¶5.40, p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.45 a. m.

Trains leave Middlesex Street Station, Lowell, as follows:

For Boston.—5.48, 6.34, ¶6.53, §7.01, §7.18, §7.27, *7.48, *8.57, 9.03, *9.50, 11.03, 12.00 a. m., 1.43, ¶2.03, 4.02, 4.33, *5.21, ¶5.43, *6.28, †7.52 p. m. SUNDAYS, *7.18, 7.27, 8.05, *9.16 a. m.; §4.25, §6.03 p. m.

For Woburn, §7.01, 7.45, 11.00 a.m.; 1.40, 4.30, 8.46 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.45 a. m., §4.25, 6.03 p.m.

***Express. §Northern Depot only. ¶Via Bedford.**

For Lawrence — 6.30, 10.00, 2.10, 4.15, 5.50 p. m.

For Salem and Way Stations—§7.38 a. m.; 1.25, 5.50 p. m.

☞Time below is from Middlesex street station.

For Ayer Junction and Way Stations—7.15 a. m.; 12.05, 5.00 and 5.47 p. m. SUNDAYS 2.15 p. m.

For Amherst, Milford and Wilton—9.14 a. m.; 1.50, 3.42, 6.42 p. m. SUNDAYS 2 p. m.

For Greenfield, Peterboro', Bennington, Hillsboro' and Keene—9.14 a. m. and 3.43 p. m. SUNDAYS, to Greenfield, Antrim, Bennington and Hillsboro', 2.00 p. m.

For Nashua, Manchester and Concord 7.57 9.14 (Nashua only), 9.45, a.m.; 12.11, 1.50, 3.43, 5.42, 6.21, 8.13, 8.43 p.m. SUNDAYS 10.00 a.m. (to Nashua only), 3 a.m., 2.00, 6.00 8.13, 8.43 p. m.

For Penacook, Franklin, Lebanon and White River Junction—9.45 a. m.; 12.11, 5.42, §8.13 p. m.

For Warner, Bradford, Sunapee, Newport, (N. H.), Claremont and Claremont Junction—1.50 p. m.

For St. Johnsbury and Lyndonville via Wells River—9.45 a.m.; †8.43, p.m.

For Montpelier, Montreal, Essex Junction, Burlington and St. Albans, via Central Vermont line—9.45 a. m.; 12.11, †8.13 p. m.

For Montreal and Quebec, via Montreal and Boston Air Line—9.45 a. m.; †8.43 p. m.

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6 45	6 50	6 00	§7 05
6 30	7 45	6 30	7 32
6 50	8 08	7 50	[illegible]
§7 01	7 58	8 00	9 12
§7 18	8 02	8 30	9 11
§7 27	8 12	9 00	§9 42
7 45	8 35	9 15	§10 2?
8 50	9 40	10 05	11 13
§9 00	10 20	10 45	11 5?
9 40	10 40	11 20	§12 38
11 00	12 06	1 00	§1 47
§12 00	12 45	2 00	[illegible]
1 40	2 30	3 00	3 45
2 00	4 25	3 30	4 55
§4 02	4 45	4 15	§5 29
4 30	5 50	5 10	5 41
§6 21	6 15	5 25	6 22
5 40	6 50	5 50	7 05
§6 28	7 25	6 15	7 28
§7 02	8 35	7 30	§8 16
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Western Division.

To Boston. Lve.	To Boston. Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	From Boston. Arr.
[illegible]	8 03	7 30	8 22
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[illegible]	3 13	3 40	4 55
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[illegible]	5 22	5 01	6 16
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[illegible]	7 30	6 35	7 45
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9 30	10 47	§11 15	12 12

Sunday Trains.

To Boston. Lve.	To Boston. Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	From Boston. Arr.
[illegible]	9 25	8 00	9 18
12 05	1 23	11 45	12 53
4 15	5 29	5 00	6 25
[illegible]	6 56	7 09	8 22
7 25	8 45		

Trains by this division leave Lowell from Central street station. Leave Boston from the new Union Station, Causeway Street. ‖ Wednesdays and Saturdays only.

Sunday Trains.

To Boston. Lve.	To Boston. Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	From Boston. Arr.
§7 18	8 02	2 00	2 55
§7 27	8 12	9 00	10 07
8 45	9 50	7 00	1 57
§9 16	10 10	5 00	5 54
§4 25	5 32	7 30	8 10
§6 03	7 00	8 00	8 50
		9 00	10 02

§From Middlesex St. Station only.

BRADSTREETS REPORTS an accentuation of favorable business features this week indicating the beginning of a period of prosperity.

THE MAIL talks of the little ripple at senatorial convention. Why talk of such a trifle and overlook the rumpus at the republican councillor convention?

A CIVIL service rule which protects the office holder in all cases except for bad conduct is one which should be appreciated. It will ensure efficient service.

DEMOCRATS SHOULD register today in order to be allowed to vote at the state election. Wednesday is the last day on which this opportunity will be available.

THE CZAR is very drowsy. If he should fall asleep and forget to wake up the world will be the gainer. The sooner a tyrant dies the better for those under his despotic sway.

JOHN L. SULLIVAN is negotiating for the purchase of a cider ranch at Sherburne He would there conduct a pugilists' home with a cider diet. It is not probable that John L. would live at Sherburne.

SENATOR HILL, the intrepid candidate of the New York democracy, is making a triumphal tour of the state. Everywhere he is receiving princely receptions. He will be the next governor of New York without a doubt.

ONE SUICIDE leads to others. Mrs. Chase committed suicide by drowning in the canal and another lady thought she would take a dip and if she found it agreeable she also would drift "to the other side of Jordan." But she didn't like the chilling sensation.

WHICH is the better of those two propositions made by the New England Construction company in regard to the reduction of garbage? Either or neither? Is this the New England Construction company that failed up on the St. Peter's church contract and left Rev. Fr. Ronan in the lurch?

THE GLOBE is coming out with new sea serpent stories. The public will feel interested to know whether this is the same serpent that was caught at the Cape and subjected to such a rigid cross-examination by a Globe reporter that it retreated to its native element five hours after having been killed.

THE CITIZEN wastes a good deal of space in a futile attempt to show that Mr. Fifield's letter of acceptance does not accord with the democratic platform because a certain sentence therein does not agree with President Cleveland's letter to Wilson. That is a good specimen of the Citizen's logic. Mr. Fifield's letter is strictly in accord with the democratic platform and with the policy of the democratic party at the present time; and the fact that it does not agree with something which can in no sense be construed as a part of that platform is of no significance.

THE Rev. A. P. A. Dunn crawls out of the challenge addressed to him by Rev. Fr. O'Brien. He says the question whether Catholics can be loyal to their church and their country at the same time must be settled by the public and not by any commission or body of men however learned or by whomsoever appointed. Rev. Fr. O'Brien stands ready to pay $1500 to have a debate with the A. P. A. leaders on the question but they are shrinking from the ordeal with characteristic cowardice. They realize the weakness of their cause but still they keep on shouting the old charges knowing full well that not one of them is susceptible of proof.

NEITHER THE republican press nor Mr. Knox himself has shown any reason why Fifield should not be elected to congress. Mr. Stevens was so highly honored in congress that he was called "senator." Mr. Fifield from his prominence as a manufacturer is equally well qualified to perform the duties of congressman very efficiently and with entire satisfaction to the district. It is not lawyers, or stock brokers that are needed to look after the interests of the country. It is only rogues and knaves that make lawyers a necessity. Let us hope they are not needed in congress. They certainly are not needed on the democratic side and as for the republican side they might be needed but the democratic lawyers will have time to look after all miscreants.

If the democrats had any real campaign material they would not exhibit so much fear of the A.P.A. The space and time they are wasting about that organization is proof that they are short of everything else.—Morning Mail.

The Apaphobian order is the special and exclusive protege of the Mail of course, and none of the other papers have any right to breathe its sacred name.

THE JOINT debate of all political parties in Haverhill was more amusing than instructive. The advocates of the several parties chiefly assailed the other parties, so that the whole was little less than an oratorical symposium in which each speaker contradicted all the others and assumed without proof that he was right.

HENRY HAMER recommends that Girard P. Dadman be driven out of the public service to seek work in the sphere most suitable and adapted to his qualifications. The matter of dropping officials is usually accomplished at the municipal election in December.

PITTER A. FAY, Esq., has now an opportunity to "tear out" the county ring. He will wake up the farmers. There should be a democrat on the commission.

SINCE ITS brutal designation of Councilman O'Brien, the Vox is suff'ring from tickets. This is a disease that usually precedes final dissolution.

THE FALL River mills are to start up today. But for the obstinacy shown on both sides they should have started weeks ago.

At the Top.

Oh, the apple trees up in the orchard!
Like wee cladding face I see
The ressets and pippins, sly peeping,
Between leaves atwinkle, at me!
And on the crisp breeze, as I'm longing
In vain for the beauties to drop,
A blithe, haunting voice seems to whisper,
"The best fruit is found at the top!"

Oh, the gnarled and moss'd boughs upward tossing!
They cradle me now in their arms,
And outward I gaze on the orchard,
The river, the uplands and farms,
Regazing, far, far on from childhood,
That blithe, breezy song never will stop,
Fame, station, are won but by climbing,
"The best fruit is found at the top!"
—George Cooper in Detroit Free Press.

How to Make School Cake.

Beat together until foamy the yolk of an egg, a cupful of white sugar, a piece of butter the size of an egg. Add a cupful of sweet milk, a pint of flour into which has been sifted 2 teaspoonfuls of baking powder and the beaten white of the egg. Flavor with lemon or vanilla. Butter a piece of white paper and put in the bottom of cake pan. Bake in a hot oven.

How to Make a Rag Doll.

A rag doll can be as large and plump as an 8-months-old baby. Take an old ribbed wool shirt, a pair of mittens and a pair of infant's kneed leggings, such as baby wears first; then get some cotton batting and stuff tightly into the leggings, the shirt and the mittens. Make a round ball of the batting, covered with muslin, for the head; then sew the parts together as shown in the cut. Paint two blue eyes, a rosebud mouth and a tiny nose on one side of the round head; then put on a baby's cap and dress the dolly in some of baby's castoff clothes. You will then have a very durable doll, and one that will stand more nonsense than a real baby.

When the Struggle Will End.

They may try professors like Ely for heresy, break the backbone of a strike by the unconstitutional introduction of the military power, as in Chicago, distort law to deprive men of their natural and acquired rights, endeavor to adjust a controversy when one party to it is already hors de combat, or men may be incarcerated in jails by sycophantic judges, the educational factors are at work, organized labor is at the helm, and there can be no end to all this turmoil until educated ignorance is dispelled by the living issue perforce presented by the rough yet noble struggle of organized labor for right and justice to itself and all mankind.—Samuel Gompers.

THE ONWARD MARCH

of Consumption is stepped short by Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. If you haven't waited beyond reason, there's complete recovery and cure. In those scrofulous conditions of the blood which invite Consumption; in severe, lingering Coughs, and Weak Lungs, this medicine is a proved remedy.

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Mrs. SARAH S. SNEED, of Clio, Iredell Co., N. C., writes: "My daughter was first attacked with pneumonia and pleurisy in very bad form and was then taken with a very bad cough, which kept growing worse and worse, until finally it seemed as though she had consumption very bad. The physicians prescribed Cod liver oil, but to no benefit. I procured two bottles of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery and she grew better. She hasn't felt any return of lung disease in over twelve months. She was nothing but a skeleton when she took the first dose, and to-day she weighs 125 pounds."

Your Wedding Gifts.

Can be selected at our store just now with the assurance that you will get some rich and rare things direct from the big metropolitan market, selected with great care by Mr. F. W. Puffer of our firm, who has just returned from New York. The goods have just been unpacked, and many of them are handsome novelties. The prices are cut to suit the times. You can look at them even if you do not buy.

French & Puffer,

245 Central Street.

MR. WILSON IN ENGLAND.

POINTS FROM HIS SPEECH MADE AT THE LONDON BANQUET.

Has Faith In the Permanent Freedom of the United States—Britons Do Not Rejoice at the Prospect of American Competition In the World's Trade.

If the facts narrated in the news columns of the papers that Mr. Wilson, chairman of the ways and means committee, had sought recuperation in an ocean trip and had been tendered a banquet by the London Chamber of Commerce and had made some remarks there in response to a toast; if these facts had, we say, escaped the notice of the readers of Republican papers when they appeared in the news items, the dextrous and versatile commentators on events in the editorial columns have fully acquainted them with them.

They, the unfortunate readers, have been told that it was eminently proper that Mr. Wilson should fly to England as soon as the tariff act was a law to receive the thanks of the only people he had served, and it was most fitting that they should receive him with open arms and fete and toast him as they *would any other gentleman who had* rendered them a distinguished and profitable service.

Governor McKinley has followed his editorial leaders with remarks to his audiences in the same strain, and the affair rises into one of international import and one of prime political or partisan importance. Much is made of minor matters in times of political stress, and the attention given this dinner is another gauge of the paucity of resources to which the exponents of the once g. o. p. are reduced.

Mr. Wilson made two points in his speech that are worthy, the one of the attention of our people, the other of those whose representatives he addressed. "We are being rapidly sobered," he said, "by the truth forced upon us that of all human governments a free government is the most complex, and judging from the world's experience the most uncertain and short lived."

For this he has been severely criticised by his opponents in the press and on the stump. But Mr. Wilson was amply justified in his observation. He had just come from a prolonged and but partially successful struggle with baneful and selfish trusts which had fastened themselves on the government and swerved its powers to their gain.

In actual conflict with the trusts he had found them, as he says, "able to defy the law and use the wealth they drew from sharing in the power of taxation to increase their privileges, *debauch elections and corrupt legislation.*" How can a republic stand when such is the case? How can we say that it is a republic, a free country, where such conditions exist? It is true, as he says, that this exposition of the power of the trusts and monopolists, craftily gained while the attention of the people was diverted, has rapidly sobered the people to a sense of their danger and the dangers to their institutions and aroused them to the overthrow of their enemies. It is the confidence in this feeling of the people that made Mr. Wilson say that, complex and difficult as is the administration of the affairs of a republic and short lived as others have been, freedom here will not perish, and that "while other nations have been great in war, commerce, science, etc., we can be great in all and great in the greatness of permanent freedom."

Mr. Wilson said nothing that his auditors had not known and thought of long ago when he warned them of the contest for the trade of the world which they would have to meet when this country shall have removed the barriers it has raised between her own manufacturers and the world's markets with her absurd tariff acts and enabled them to enter foreign markets on equal terms with her greatest competitor. When our capacity to produce, now equal to all our needs in six months of activity, shall be fully occupied in making the things we and the world want, England *will have to look* to her laurels of trade and commerce, or they will be transferred to the brows of Uncle Sam. It was this certainty of the future when we reach free trade that impelled Mr. Wilson to tell his audience that "I fear I cannot ask you to rejoice at its adoption except as you may prefer right principles to selfish advantage."

It is 12 years ago now that Joseph Medill, then and now the editor in chief of the Chicago Tribune, after his return from a trip to England, delivered an address to the farmers of Illinois in which he predicted the same result from free trade that Mr. Wilson did and said in conversation with English manufacturers they told him that they dreaded the day when American manufacturers would be permitted by their laws to enter into competition with them in the world's markets. They were well content with our policy, which restricted our wares almost exclusively to our home market and left them not only their own, but the markets of the rest of the producing world.—St. Paul Globe.

Planters and the Sugar Bounty.

If the sugar bounty had not been abolished, it would this year have amounted to $22,000,000. Next year it would have been $40,000,000, and there would have been a continual increase. No wonder the planters' moral sense has been somewhat blunted. The temptation is no small one.—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

Funereal Suggestions.

The full name of the Republican nominee for Governor of Connecticut is Orpheus Vincent Coffin. It is suggestive of an old fashioned Republican funeral. —New York Mercury.

But He'll Finish Second.

Whatever the result may be in New York, Platt will give Morton a good run for his money.—Philadelphia Times.

A RAT SAVED HIS LIFE.

IT ACTED AS MESSENGER FOR AN ENTOMBED MINER.

Imprisoned by a Cavein, Tim Morrissey Would Never Again Have Seen the Light of Day if the Little Rodent Had Not Brought a Rescue.

The rats in the coal mines of Pennsylvania are regarded by all old miners with the greatest affection. These mine rats are the forerunners of the coming danger. When they scamper excitedly through the black chamber, toward the shaft, the collier, toiling alone 1,000 feet below the surface, instantly quits work and joins in their flight, for he knows that something has given away overhead. Many a miner's life has been saved by these generally despised animals.

Squire Tim Morrissey is an old time miner in Wilkesbarre, Pa., whose headquarters on the main thoroughfare that divides that part of the town known as Whisky Hill is a favorite rendezvous of the veteran colliers. The other night Jim told a remarkable story of how his life was saved by one of these mine rats. A squeeze had occurred in the second level of the mine, 600 feet below the surface, and the top rock had killed two men—Bill Thomas and Mike Phelan. Morrissey was sent down by the superintendent to investigate. He went down the shaft in the carriage and signaled to be let off at the second level.

"I was alone, and nobody knew I was goin in there," said Morrissey. "Well, I went along the gangway, chirpin to the rats, who followed me as if glad to see somebody, for no one had been in since the crash that killed the men. When I got to the rock, I crawled around and finally found a place big enough to creep through, and in I went. comin out in the chamber on the other side. When I came to the breast, 40 foot away, I held my lamp and began to examine the surroundin's.

"I was lookin at the top wall, not more'n *ten foot from the breast*, when suddenly down comes a mass of rock with a thunderin crash that nearly stunned me. I realized the horror of the situation in a minute. I knew I was shut in that chamber a quarter of a mile from the shaft.

"There wasn't a soul knew even that I was in there. The possibility of suffocatin rose in my mind, and I made an examination. There was quite a stream runnin across the bottom from the face of the breast, and this cheered me with the thought that some air would get in. Besides I soon discovered that the mass was so jangled up that it was likely that considerable air could get through it, and these things satisfied me that I wouldn't be smothered. After lookin about I found I was hemmed into a space not more'n 20 foot square. I looked at my watch and found it was 8 o'clock, the hour the day shift went in above me and below.

"It must have been three hours that I was in there thinkin, and then I heard a little noise close by. A minute later I felt somethin rubbin agin one of my legs. I put my hand down, and, true as you live, it was a rat. I picked him up and held him till I lit my lamp. He seemed about as glad to see me as I was to see him. I tell you, lads, the companionship of that big rat at that time, down in that lonely place, was as sweet to me as the comin of an angel would have been.

"I smoothed his back and fondled him as if he was one of my own babies.

"Suddenly an idea struck me. Maybe the rat had come from somewhere low. Maybe he had a runway to the lower level. That thought cheered me. I opened my lunch can and gave him somethin to eat. Then I took out a passbook I had in my pocket and wrote this on one of the leaves: 'I'm hemmed in in Brennan's chamber, second level. Come quick. Morrissey.' I rolled the message up in a little ball, and with a bit of thread I managed to fasten it around the rat's neck. Then I petted him, and goin close to the breast found a little hole which I thought he might have come out of.

"Then I set him free. Boys, I never shall forget the wise look he turned on me that instant. He seemed to know what was wanted. I sat down again, blew out the lamp and waited.

"Say, lads, somehow my heart was lighter after the rat had gone. Somethin told me he would save me. What with thinkin of home and the babies and hoping that somebody would find the note the rat took out, the hours passed by until I grew hungry. I lit my lamp agin and ate very sparin'ly. I glanced at my watch and found it was nearly 5 o'clock. I had been in the horrible place nine hours. That startled me. I began to lose hope as to the result of the rat's mission. Then suddenly I heard a noise, and quickly I fired the lamp, and down at my feet was my old friend, the rat, who had taken my message out. As he came close up I noticed a thread runnin from his neck back to the hole he came out of. I broke it off, and, joy of joys, I began pullin it up. Yard after yard there was until the thread grew thicker, and upon examinin it close I found it was a lamp wick soaked with oil.

"I hauled away at the wick until it made quite a pile in front of me. At last the end was reached, and on it was a little ball of tin foil. I opened it carefully and found this note scrawled on a bit of paper:

"'Jim—Be easy. Big party of rescuers are at work. Hard job, but will reach you. Keep your courage. Use oil on wick. Brennan.'

"There's one or two of the old men here who remember what followed—how it took two long days and nights to dig through the mass of rock and coal that lay between me and safety; how finally the boys reached me, and I was taken out alive and well.

"But I stuck to my little friend, and he stuck to me. Wife fairly loved him, while strangers passin the door wondered why the babies played so long and joyfully with such a horrible thing as a rat. But the babies knew, and so did the neighbors. They named him Dick, after Dick Brennan."—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

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Of midday summer sun.
It chanced a poet, passing by,
Upon the lily cast his eye,
His sympathy is won.

"Poor little flower," he, pitying, said,
"Who left thee thus with drooping head
Beneath a burning sky?
Ah, me! It was a thoughtless deed
To cast thee forth, like common weed,
To wither and to die—

"Away from cool and grateful shade
Of garden bed or mossy glade,
Where erstwhile thou didst bloom.
My heart with pity bleeds for thee,
Thus treated so despitefully
And left to such a doom.

"The lily is the spotless flower,
The emblem of the priceless dower
Of purity of heart.
King Solomon, in all his power,
Was not arrayed like thee, sweet flower,
Thou work of nature's art.

"I cannot leave thee in thy need,
Amidst the dust to pant and bleed;
I cannot leave thee so.
Close by there lies a lovely mere,
Whose sparkling waters, bright and clear,
O'er waterlilies flow.

"Upon its cool, refreshing breast
I'll lay thee gently down to rest
And banish all thy pain.
The water sprites will change thy shape,
And as a 'lily of the lake'
Thou yet shalt bloom again."
—C. M. A. in Academy

Not Thanks.

She was speaking of her family.

"Papa," she observed, "is a very hardworking man."

He started from his seat.

"In that case"——

He paced the floor nervously.

——"I guess I'd better strike somebody else for that $5 I've got to have."

Muttering incoherently, he left the house.—Detroit Tribune.

Armless Wonders.

Instances are numerous of persons who, born without arms, learned to use their feet as hands. Bulwer, in "The Artificial Changeling," tells of John Simonds, a native of Berkshire, who was born armless, but who could write with his mouth, thread a needle with his toe, tie a knot, play cards and do almost anything else that another person usually does with his fingers.

An Illustration.

"Do you think," said the intellectual young woman, "that there is any truth in the theory that big creatures are better natured than small ones?"

"Yes," answered the young man, "I do. Look at the difference between the Jersey mosquito and the Jersey cow."—Life.

Unreasonable.

"I hate you," she cried violently.

"Then I am discovered," he groaned.

He staggered toward the door.

"I had hoped," he gasped, "that she might not find out I am the umpire."

He felt that he could not rationally question her aversion.—Detroit Tribune.

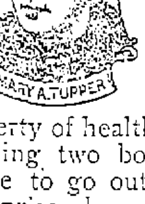
A Hopeless Undertaking.

"The United States army is the only one in which there never is any mutiny."

"No wonder. Is it likely that one private would mutiny against so many officers?"—Kate Field's Washington.

A Prisoner in Bed.

Mrs. Mary A. Tupper has been released, at Wilton, Me., from the custody of extreme female weakness and nervousness, which kept her a prisoner in bed, unable to walk. *Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound* went to the root of her trouble, and gave her the liberty of health, so that after taking two bottles she was able to go out of doors and surprise her husband and friends by her improvement.



She says: "Women should beware of dizziness, sudden faintness, backache, extreme lassitude, and depression. They are danger signals of female weakness, or some derangement of the uterus or womb. Take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and be thankful for your life as I am. It only costs a dollar to try it. It will pay.

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84 doz. Children's Fast Black Hose 2½c. a pair.

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100 dozen Ladies' Fast Black Seamless Hose, 12 1-2c. a pair.

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40 doz Jersey Vests and Pants, 39 1-2c; sold last year for 50c. *They are the talk of the town.*
50 doz Ladies' Jersey Vests and Pants, fleeced lined, 50c. They are the talk of Lowell.
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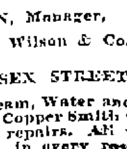

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KILLED BY TRAIN

Fatal Accident On a Grade Crossing.

WOMEN AND CHILDREN STRUCK BY ENGINE.

Bodies Carried a Long Distance On Pilot.

BUFFALO, Oct. 15.—Dorothy, aged 11, and Emily, aged 5, daughters of John N. Scatcherd, and Miss Emily B. S. Woods, aged 30, sister-in-law of Mr. Scatcherd, were struck and killed by a freight engine on the New York Central belt line at the Parkside crossing yesterday afternoon.

Early in the afternoon Miss Woods, who lived with Mr. Scatcherd's family, had one of Mr. Scatcherd's spirited horses hitched up and took the two little girls out to call on a friend, Mrs. Ball. The party reached their destination in safety and spent an hour with the Ball family. When they started to return, the wind had grown very cold and curtains were placed on the buggy.

They drove down Depew avenue to Parkside avenue, and then made a short turn to cross the belt line. The wind was blowing a gale from the northwest, and a heavy freight train was coming from the east. The train was drawn by a big mogul engine. It is probable that Miss Woods did not hear the train, and it is certain that she could not see it, because of the side on the buggy.

Just as the buggy was on the track the great engine struck it. The horse was instantly killed and tossed to one side. The box of the buggy stood the shock and remained on the pilot. Before the engineer could stop the engine the train had reached Colvin street, which is about a quarter of a mile from Parkside. The buggy box remained on the pilot during all the distance. When the train was finally stopped the woman and the two little girls were found in the bottom of the box in

A Sickening, Bloody Pile.

The engineer summoned help and the buggy box was lifted from the pilot. Dorothy, the 11-year-old girl, was dead. She was on the side nearest the engine and received the full force of the blow. Miss Woods and little Emily were unconscious. Doctors were summoned from all directions. It was found that all three had been hit on the left side of the head and that all three had their skulls fractured.

Little Emily died in about two hours after removal to the Glenny house. Miss Woods was taken to the general hospital. She died shortly afterward.

The crossing is a dangerous one. There is no flagman there. This portion of the city is newly built up, and there are not many houses in the vicinity. The engineer claims that he blew his whistle and rang his bell and reversed his engine, but was unable to stop until he reached Colvin street. This story is corroborated by a boy who saw the accident.

Mr. Scatcherd, who was at the Country club, not far from the scene of the accident at the time it occurred, is prostrated. Mrs. Scatcherd is visiting in Simcoe, Ont., and has not been notified of her bereavement. There are two other children, a boy and a girl.

May Be the Laura V. Rose.

EDGARTOWN, Mass., Oct. 15.—Fishing smack Emma, from Nantucket shoals, reports a sunken schooner about 11 miles east by south from Sankaty Head, Nantucket. About 14 miles off shore in the same direction was found the top of the vessel's house. Near the top of the house was picked up a small sea chest, containing underwear marked "Leeds" and "J. H. L." It is thought to have belonged to Captain Leeds of schooner Laura V. Rose.

The Latest Concerning the Czar.

BERLIN, Oct. 15.—According to The Lokal Anzeiger, a Vienna physician, who is fully informed by St. Petersburg doctors, states that the diagonis of the czar's complaint wavers between cancer in the renal region and inflammation of the kidneys. All the doctors, however, agree that the end will be neither speedy nor sudden, but that death will come after a gradual decline.

Mormon Missionaries Roughly Handled.

CENTERTOWN, N. Y., Oct. 15.—Elders Freeman and Mercer, Mormon missionaries, who have converted 50 people in this vicinity, mostly women, to their faith, were visited by a party of indignant citizens and given a coat of tar and feathers. The two were then ordered to leave at once, which they promised to do.

Honors Even.

CHRISTIANIA, Oct. 15.—A final count shows that the Radicals polled 8830 to the Conservatives 8069. Each party will send four members to the storthing. The returns from the country are incomplete, but the figures received show that neither party will obtain a decisive majority in the new storthing.

Honors For Church Dignitaries.

ROME, Oct. 15.—At the next papal consistory, which will be held before Christmas, several cardinals will be appointed. Among those who will receive the red hat are Mgr. Jacobini, archbishop of Tyr and papal nuncio to Portugal; Mgr. Critoni, nuncio to Spain, and Mgr. Fausti, the papal auditor.

Kaffirs Growing Bolder.

LOURENZO MARQUEZ, Oct. 15.—The rebellious Kaffirs attacked this town yesterday, but were repulsed. The government of the Transvaal have offered to assist the Portuguese against the Kaffirs. The proposed co-operation is regarded with suspicion as an infringement of British suzerainty.

A Missing Girl.

NEW HAVEN, Oct. 15.—Mary Conrad of East street, this city, has been missing from home for a week. The girl is but 13 years old and was disciplined by her parents for some fault, since which she has not been seen.

Will Get Old Wages.

NORTH ADAMS, Mass., Oct. 15.—A restoration of a 10 per cent cut in wages has been made by the Blackinton Woolen company at Blackinton. The increase goes into effect today.

Germany's Part.

BERLIN, Oct. 15.—Germany's refusal to interfere in the Chinese-Japanese troubles does not affect the question of protection to Europeans in China, in which she will fully co-operate. The German commander in Chinese waters has already been authorized to dispatch a small body of marines to protect the legation at Pekin.

Why Not.

If you are economizing why not look over your printing bills and see if you are not paying too much for printing. Call at this office and get prices on your work, and see if we cannot save money for you.

ENGINEER'S ERROR.

Caused a Serious Wreck In Which Many Lives Were Jeopardized.

NEW ORLEANS, Oct. 15.—Engineer Simpson of the East Louisiana railroad is responsible for a frightful accident that occurred yesterday at the crossing of the Louisville and Nashville and Northeastern railroads, about two miles from where the Louisville and Nashville road leaves Elysian Fields street, an accident that will, in all probability, result in at least one fatality, while a score of passengers on the Louisville and Nashville road were severely injured.

The Louisville and Nashville "Across the Lake" excursion train of eight coaches, well loaded, a large proportion being women and children, pulled out on time.

The east Louisiana train, carrying excursionists to points in St. Tammany parish, was booming along its tracks, and with a shrill shriek from its whistle for down brakes it crashed into the sixth coach of the Louisville and Nashville train. The collision threw a crowded coach completely into the ditch. The greatest indignation and anger prevailed among the witnesses of the collision against Engineer Simpson. Simpson escaped to the swamp. News was brought to this city of the accident and a special train was dispatched to convey the injured to the city.

Engineer Simpson was subsequently arrested. The property loss is about $40,000.

GAVE A FICTITIOUS NAME.

It Probably Saved Warren Coon From Being Kidnapped "For Keeps."

NEWTON, Mass., Oct. 15.—Sixteen-year-old Warren Coon, son of Rev. G. W. Coon of Lowell street, Newtonville, was returning from the Newton public library. When he had reached the corner of Billerica street and Newton avenue a hack drove up and an unknown man jumped out.

The latter asked the boy if he did not want a ride, and before he could answer the man deliberately threw him into the carriage. Then the stranger also got in, the curtains were drawn, and the driver whipped up his horses.

Young Coon was badly scared, and for some time neither he nor the man spoke a word. Finally the stranger asked the boy his name, and the latter, shrewdly deciding that it would be unwise to give his right name, replied that it was Thomas Ryan. The man then said: "You're not the one I want. Get out," at the same time shoving him from the hack. The boy found himself on Oak street, Newton Upper Falls, nearly three miles from where he was put into the carriage.

The man is described as about 33 years of age, with very dark complexion, and heavy dark mustache. No motive has been found for the attempted abduction.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

Ambassador Bayard has arrived in Washington.

The Burnside postoffice at East Hartford was robbed.

Reports of Boston national banks show improving business.

General Harrison has returned home after a campaign tour.

A Jay Gould memorial church at Roxbury, N. Y., was dedicated.

The president has not requested cabinet officers not to make campaign speeches.

William C. Clark was nominated for mayor by the Republicans of Manchester, N. H.

Emperor William arrived at Kronenberg on a visit to his mother, Empress Frederick.

The imperial palace at Pekin is divided by factions, one contending for peace, the other for war.

A memorial statue of Canada's late premier, Sir John Macdonald, was unveiled at Toronto.

Colonel Breckinridge's church in Kentucky suspended him from the sacraments until Feb. 1, 1895.

Canadian workmen in Ottawa are terribly exercised over the enforcement of the United States alien law.

The River Spinning Mill company at Woonsocket, R. I., is charged with violating the contract labor law.

Frank Ash, Jr., aged 27, jumped from a freight train at Westfield, Mass., fell on his head and fractured his skull.

Salmon A. Granger has been nominated for senator by the Democrats of the Eighteenth Connecticut senatorial district.

At Athol, Mass., S. W. Cushing was arrested charged with stealing from his employer. Cushing owned up everything.

Patrick Coffey of New Britain, Conn., 36 years old, was killed by being struck by a passenger engine near Parkville, Conn.

Mgr. Satolli has gone to Canada to settle a misunderstanding between Cardinal Taschereau and the civil authorities of Montreal.

The Dominion government has abolished the rebate on spruce logs for paper pulp and imposes a uniform rate of 40 cents a cord.

The superintendent and matron of the Kansas deaf and dumb asylum made affidavit that Mrs. Lary Lease urged them to steal from the state.

Masons of high degree from all over Connecticut attended the funeral of Grand Secretary Wheeler of the grand lodge of Masons at Hartford.

The first anniversary of the Hudson (Mass.) Y. M. C. A. was observed by a largely attended meeting in the Baptist church in that town.

Henry Penfield, assistant manager of the Crawford shoe store in Hartford, has confessed that he fixed up the job of burglary at the store to cover up a series of thefts.

Dartmouth medical students drew up appropriate resolutions on the death of Oliver Wendell Holmes, who was at one time professor of anatomy in Dartmouth Medical college.

The third anniversary of the Framingham (Mass.) Y. M. C. A. was observed by appropriate union services in the villages of Framingham Centre, Saxonville and South Framingham.

At Manchester, N. H., there was a beautiful procession of 6000 school children, each equipped with a United States flag. The public and parochial pupils marched together.

John and Stephen Delaney, brothers, fought at their home in Bridgeport, Conn. Steven stabbed John twice in the arm and once in the left breast, penetrating the lung. The wound is dangerous.

The town of Middleboro, Mass., has voted that the selectmen be authorized to contract with the Massachusetts highway commission to build that portion of the state highway which the state proposes to build in the town this year.

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FACTS ON LABOR CO-OPERATION.

Antwerp's Profit Sharing Unions of Longshoremen.

The Men Who do the Actual Labor Control the Business, and There Are No "Capitalists" to Be Paid For Their "Investment"—Efficiency Assured.

Professor James H. Gore, commissioner general for the United States to the International exposition at Antwerp, has written for the September number of Forum a most interesting contribution on "The Profit Sharing Labor Unions of Antwerp." After opening with a general statement on labor in European countries Mr. Gore gives the following interesting account of the Antwerp longshoremen's "nations:"

By the enactment of laws favorable to the free importation of foreign wares Antwerp early in the fifteenth century became an important port, as can be learned from the reports of the embassies sent by various courts to attend the regal festivities which frequently took place there. But the delays in discharging vessels and the frequent loss to merchandise from unskillful handling threatened to outweigh beneficent legislation and advantageous position. The dockhands and porters became careless, in the belief that plenty of work would always await them, but an awakening came when some of the united traders erected buildings of their own, where they could not only store their goods, but house their workmen and horses as well. Two of these structures are still standing—the Maison Hanseatique and the Maison de Hesse. The result of the awaking of the laborers to a proper apprehension of the danger of the loss of work and the consciousness that sooner or later it would fall into the hands of strangers was the establishment, in 1442, of a company of longshoremen, who assumed the name "Les Grecs," a name which, with merely those changes incident to change of language, the society has borne from that year to the present time. This was the first of the 50 "nations" now in active existence at Antwerp.

A "nation" is a corporation of workmen, forming a limited society, in which every member is also a stockholder. The society is not only limited in membership, but it is restricted also in functions. First of all, the "nations" work only at the docks, loading or unloading vessels or hanling merchandise to or from ships; secondly, each "nation" will handle only certain articles of commerce, and, again, only those articles which come from or are destined for a certain port. For example, the "Katven nation" will unload wool that comes from Buenos Ayres, but a vessel charged with wool from Australia can secure the services only of the "Zuid nation." One "nation" puts on board ordinary Belgian sugar, but if the sugar is specially refined and intended for candy its loading is the work of another "nation." The underlying principle of this elaborate differentiation of labor is that a society with restricted lines of work can become especially proficient in those lines, can acquire the best implements and appliances for their performance and thus give to their employers the best possible service. In no instance has this monopoly given an excuse for extortionate charges or forcible increase of prices.

Every one of these societies, upon its organization, must give bond to abide by the regulations prepared by the port officers, and a special rule fixes for a term of years—usually 10—the tariff of charges, and any attempt to violate this rule would result in an immediate abrogation of the society's privileges. On the other hand, every vessel entering port is obliged to employ the appropriate society, but this compulsion is evidently in the best interests of shippers, as can be seen from what follows as well as from the fact that the maritime trade of Antwerp is increasing at the rate of 100,000 tons per year. Every "nation" is a stock company, but no one can hold stock who is not an active working member. As a member he obeys implicitly the orders of his superiors and profits by his own labors as well as by the labors of his associates.

The officers are a dean and as many assistant deans as may be necessary, there being one dean in the smaller societies of 20 or 30 members, and two or three in those of 50 or 60, and a secretary and such additional officers as are found essential in each society. They are elected annually and are eligible for re-election, but serve without extra compensation. Every organization has its own bylaws; but, since they are not published and dismissal would be the penalty of their promulgation, very little is known about them. The "nations," however, appear to be very wisely governed regarding the duties and obligations of the members to one another, for it is known that fines are imposed for certain offenses. For instance, if a member fails to report each morning, unless sick, he pays 50 cents. If the absence occurs twice within a month, the fine is $2, while the next repetition would result in dismissal. Again, if one member summons another, against his will, as a witness, he must pay an honorarium of $4 for every day, and the same amount is demanded in case one member causes the arrest of a colleague.

The nearest approach to an authentic financial statement is obtained from the decennial report which each "nation" must submit to the local authorities showing its nominal assets and liabilities. From the accounts rendered in 1890 it is seen that the richest "nation" had a capital of $180,000, divided into shares of $5,000 each, and the next richest had a capital of $168,000, divided into shares of $4,000. Of the actual assets the world at large knows nothing, except that they consist of a number of magnificent draft horses (perhaps the best in the world), wagons, stables and such appliances as are needed in their work. The Belgian law requiring every firm and corporation to file a balance sheet annually does not apply to the "nations," because they have no standing in the local courts. In their articles of incorporation they bind themselves to submit all differences between themselves and their employers to arbitration. Yielding their right to sue, they become exempt from being sued.

The outward workings of a "nation" resemble somewhat a patriarchal form of government. On every workday morning all the members who are able assemble at headquarters half an hour before time to begin work and receive assignments for the day. This allotment of tasks is made by the dean and is not subject to open criticism or refusal, but he is doubtless guided by a knowledge of every man's special fitness or some consideration of his recent labors. Those for whom there is no work have the day free without suffering any diminution in their share of the society's profits, but they are not allowed to hire themselves to others, the idea being that they keep themselves fresh for the probable duties of the morrow. In the evening those who were occupied report at the office, and a record is made by the secretary of the place and of the character of the work rather as a check upon the work than upon the workmen. When the task is finished, the dean collects the entire amount due the society and places it in bank as a part of the general fund. At the end of the month the net receipts are equally divided among the members, regardless of the number of idle or employed days of each. Usually there is a maximum limit to the sum paid to each member for his share of the month's profits—that is to say, if the receipts would justify a larger dividend, he would receive only $80, the overplus remaining in the general fund to help over those months when the earnings are less. Likewise those who are unable to work because of sickness or injury received in the discharge of duty fare equally with the others. This benefit, however, is restricted to a definite number of months, usually four.

The "nations" sustain individually—or collectively in some cases—orphan asylums for the maintenance of the children of those who die from illness contracted or injury received while engaged at work. As the number of accidents is large and the lives of men engaged in such heavy work are short, these institutions are always well filled. The city, rightly appreciating the contributions that the "nations" make to the mercantile prosperity of Antwerp, assist in the support of these asylums or in educating their occupants.

When a member dies, his share is sold at auction for the benefit of his heirs. Shares in the more prosperous nations command a premium, according to the condition of the society. In this sale no preference is shown a son of the deceased should he be a bidder. Since no member can own more than one share, there is always an evenly distributed power, with no possibility for control on the part of any one except through the weight of personal influence. And, as each member is also a shareholder, when he looks after his own interests by assiduous and well directed labor he is contributing to the welfare of all. With the increase of work they do not add to their membership and thereby risk a loss or at least a depreciation in the value of their stock in case of any untoward movement in trade, but they employ laborers, thus becoming themselves employers, or rather contractors. Those "nations" that also load vessels have their own expert stevedores as well as their own blacksmith and wagon maker, but in no case are these members.

When a vessel passes Flushing, a telegraphic message is sent to the port officer at Antwerp, giving the approximate size of the ship and the character of her cargo. A place at the dock is at once assigned to the ship, and the appropriate "nation" is notified, so that by the time she takes her place at the dock the men are ready to take her in hand. As soon as the first member of the "nation" places his hand upon the cargo the whole "nation" becomes responsible for it as well as for any damage that the ship may sustain through careless discharging. Thus it is that the largest vessel as well as the tiniest craft can confidently ascend the Scheldt, knowing that no delays await her because of strikes or useless bargaining for reduced rates. It is this confidence, together with other exceptional facilities, that is making Antwerp the first maritime city on the continent of Europe and enables her to handle 14,000 tons of merchandise every day.

Labor Makes Millionaires.

Mr. F. B. Sanborn discussed the relation of American millionaires to our social system in the social science gathering at Saratoga. He gave especial attention to the millionaire situation in the city of Pullman. Mr. Sanborn does not admire Pullman. In his peculiarly pungent style of writing he remarks:

"I had not been an hour there before I was convinced it was nothing but egotism petrified, a brick allegory of the most intense cupidity. Everything there is "facts," as in Dickens' "Hard Times;" everything is toil; everything is gain. There is nothing for amusement nor for gayety. Everybody labors for Pullman & Co. They drink, eat and sleep only for them. Pullman left on me the final impression of a huge mausoleum. Silence, as of death, reigns there. Nowhere is there a smiling or a joyous visage. Even the flower beds have the air of funeral decorations. In reality this town is nothing but a shop where they make millions (une fabrique de millions)."

The burden of Mr. Sanborn's paper, which is very interestingly written, is that the millionaires of America are not alive to the responsibilities to the public that their wealth implies. He states the estimates of millionaires in Chicago to be between 200 and 300, in New York nearly 1,000 and in the whole country about 4,000.

A COWARDLY BLACKLIST.

A "Conservative Newspaper" Aroused by the Villainy of the Railway Barons.

A dispatch from Omaha reveals a blacklist conspiracy among the railway companies that will receive the hearty condemnation of every American citizen who believes in fair play and frank fighting.

Since the strike the railway companies, it appears, have demanded from every applicant for work a "clearance" paper setting forth the cause of his retirement from his last service. This is entirely proper. It is similar to the "recommendations" demanded by most business houses. But instead of furnishing a frank statement to the workman the railway manager gives him what purports to be an honest clearance, but is really a sign that he is not worthy of employment. The trick is carried out by means of an ingenious watermark. The figure of a "sand hill crane" is worked into the blank form used for the clearance. When the head of the crane is missing, the man will not be hired even when the clearance is complimentary.

This unmanly device is used to the destruction of every unfortunate who took part in the strike or who is conspicuous in any of the interdicted unions. It would be hard to adequately characterize the nature of the sneak who invented this code. As for the railway managers who use it, they certainly are guilty of conspiracy and should be punished in court. They are as lawless as the strikers. They are cowardly as well as lawless. They violate the principles of humanity and outrage the rules of fair play among men. When by means of this fraud they take the bread out of the mouths of women and children, they become far less respectable and quite as dangerous to society as the Debs anarchists.

The country is now suffering the penalty of an alliance with the railway companies, enforced by the requirements of good order. They attempt to use this new found friendship as a cloak to cover practices that in other times would not be tolerated. They were given their inch. They take an ell. So serious has their invasion of rights in one direction, through the complacency of the federal bench, become that the most conservative newspaper of America has felt obliged to sternly call a halt.

We believe a workman blacklisted in the manner described above has ground for both civil and criminal actions against the conspirators. The railway managers must learn that what is criminal in a hired man is criminal also in one of their own class. Felony is not wholly a matter of caste.—Chicago Post.

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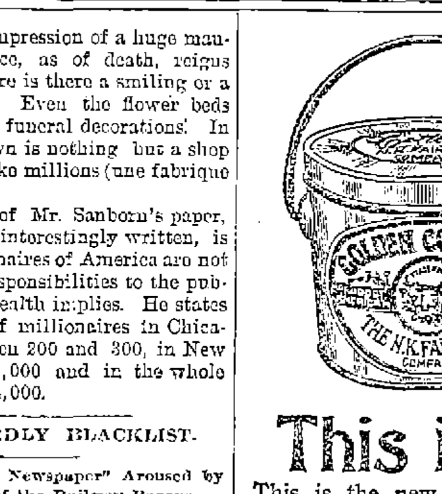

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TAX LIST FOR 1894,

With instructions to collect in the manner prescribed by the Statutes of the Commonwealth and the Ordinances of the City of Lowell, the sums assessed by them to the persons named therein, and he is now ready to receive payment of said Taxes at his office in City Hall.

When a Poll Tax only is assessed, the Tax is due, and if not paid forthwith, the Collector will proceed to collect the Tax as directed by the General Statutes.

SUMMONS, bearing costs, will be issued against delinquent Poll and Personal Tax Payers on or about November 1st.

INTEREST at the rate of seven per cent. per annum will be charged upon all Taxes which remain unpaid October 20, 1894 until the same shall be paid; and such interest shall be added to and considered a part of said Taxes. Poll Taxes are assessed on every male inhabitant above the age of 20 years. On undivided real estate each heir is liable for the whole tax. An error in the name of the person taxed does not defeat the collection of the Tax. Each partner is liable for the whole Tax assessed under the partnership name.

The assessors are now distributing Tax Bills. If any ratable inhabitant, by removing his residence since the first day of May, or from any cause, should not receive his Tax Bill, he must consider the Tax demanded by this notice, and a new bill will be made out on application at the office of the City Treasurer and Collector of Taxes if a Tax has been assessed.

All who preserve their Tax Bills and bring them when they come to pay, will save the time of making a new bill and facilitate the business of the office.

THE RATE OF TAXATION FOR 1894 IS $17.40 ON $1000.

Office Hours: From 9 o'clock a.m. to 3 p.m.

For the convenience of the Tax paying public the office of the Collector will be open in the evening as follows: Mondays, Thursdays, Fridays and Saturdays, from Oct. 1 to Oct. 13, inclusive, 7 to 8 o'clock p.m. Mondays, Thursdays, Fridays, and Saturdays, from Oct. 15 to Oct. 20, inclusive, from 7 to 9 o'clock p. m.

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SUN WEATHER BULLETIN.

ALMANAC FOR MONDAY, OCT. 15.

SUN RISES	5 57	MOON RISES	5 17 PM
SUN SETS	5 02	FULL SEA	11 23 AM
LENGTH OF DAY	11 05		

Forecast for Maine, New Hampshire and Vermont: Generally fair, with passing showers in northern portion; brisk and high westerly winds; cooler on the coast.

For Massachusetts, Rhode Island and Connecticut: Generally fair; brisk and high westerly winds; cooler.

LOCAL NEWS.

Be joyful and smoke Tower's corner.

Textile Union No. 19 will hold a meeting tonight.

There seems little danger of a shortage of water in the river.

Alderman and Mrs. E. W. Lovejoy have returned from the Adirondacks.

The Rod and Gun club is arranging a fall shoot. It won't be a slaughter of game.

Driver Fred Davis of the patrol has gone moose hunting and partridge bagging in Maine.

A collection was taken up in the Catholic churches yesterday for the benefit of the orphans.

The International foot ball club will hold a meeting at 78 Bridge street, tomorrow night.

Guy C. Pierce, son of Cassius Pierce, has been elected manager of the Tufts college glee club.

Thomas S. Shaw of Maryville, N. B., formerly of the Tremont & Suffolk mills, is on a visit here.

Ward Clough, the great hunter of Dracut, was a sharpshooter in the war, and has killed his man.

Butler Ames and Arthur S. Coburn played on the Institute of Technology foot ball team Thursday.

It is said that Rev. Claude Raboteau will cease ministerial duties temporarily and travel extensively.

The new trotting association will be a reality. It has been organized to use the North Chelmsford track.

Why not have a chance to buy stamps at the post office on Sunday afternoons for a few minutes?

Merchants week at Manchester came to an end Saturday, with a big and showy parade of 5000 school children.

While there is a scarcity of skilled cotton and woolen weavers in this city there is plenty of mill help available.

Mayor Pickman will preside at a physical department convention at the Newburyport Y. M. C. A., this week.

Electrician Burns has installed another police telegraph box. It is on Fairmount street near Ex-mayor Palmer's house.

The death rate for last week was 20.8, against 20 and 20.9 for the two previous weeks. The total number of deaths was 36.

Joe Dextra has returned from a hunting trip in Maine in time to get out his snow shoes and hustle for the nomination as overseer of the poor in the first ward.

At the masses at St. Patrick's church, yesterday, announcement was made of the opening of the evening schools, and the young people were told of the advantages offered those who are employed in the mills and the chance they have to obtain an education.

Grand Jury This Week.

The grand jury came in at the court house this morning to hear cases for the October term of Superior court. On Wednesday Lowell cases will be heard.

The Burkes Memorial Concert.

The B. T. I. will observe Nov. 10th as Memorial Sunday, and the Y. M. C. I. of Belvidere will be invited to parade on the same occasion. The memorial exercises will be held in the evening.

An Anniversary Concert.

The anniversary committee of Court Wamesit, A. O. F., met yesterday to make arrangements for the celebration of the fourth anniversary on Friday evening, Nov. 16. It was decided to hold a concert and ball in Huntington hall in honor of the event.

Fortunate Escape for the Public.

A chimney on the two story tenement house on Appleton street just above the Presbyterian church collapsed about 8 o'clock last evening and fell with a crash on the roof of the church damaging the slates, and sliding off to the sidewalk. Fortunately no one was passing at the time.

The Oldest Car Driver.

Charles Bryant, who has not yet reached his 40th year, is one of the oldest employes of the street railway company. The late Robert Cunningham was superintendent when Mr. Bryant was appointed a driver of a bob-tail car on the Gorham street route in 1871. Before that time Mr. Bryant had been a driver of tow horses for the company.

Libby Won by a Neck.

There was an interesting 100 yards' race up in the yard of the Lamson Store Service company, Saturday afternoon. Two of the employes, Albert Braden and George Libby have indulged in considerable talk as to each other's racing abilities. A match was made and it came off Saturday in the presence of all the company's employes. Libby won by a neck, but Braden is not yet satisfied and another race is on the tapis.

PRETTY LEONORAH WELCH

Tells More About Her Career Which Came Nearly to an End in the Western Canal Friday Night.

The young and pretty woman who was taken out of the Western canal Friday evening in a drugged state, now gives the name of Leonora Welch of Epping, N. H. She has been married two years. Her maiden name was Thwing.

It appears that she was a headstrong girl who possessed some talent, with a good education. She went on the stage and there met her future husband.

Her marriage did not bring the expected happiness. Her husband did not treat her rightly during the time they lived together, and finally they separated. Mrs. Welch, it appears, returned to her home, which is supposed to have been in Epping, N. H., but she soon went back to the stage.

It appears that her second venture did not prove successful, and adversity in some inexplicable way landed her in Lowell. She states that she formed the acquaintance of a strange woman at the Boston & Maine depot. This stranger invited her to a house on Merrimack street and there treated her to a glass of what she supposed was port wine.

From the time she drank that cordial until dragged out of the canal, Mrs. Welch says she was perfectly oblivious. She does not know whether she jumped in, fell in, or was pushed in. She says she never contemplated suicide nor would ever in her rational moments decide to end her life.

She does not confirm her statement that she was a cashier in the restaurant at the corner of Harrison avenue and Beach street, Boston. She was kindly cared for at the Open Door and this week will be sent home by Mrs. Clark.

Dr. Coburn DENTIST 51 MERK ST.

If nervous, try Old Hundred cigar.

Wall paper at 18 Church street.

J. H. Costello, 27 Davidson st., carpenter.

T. C. Lee, Fire Insurance, Donovan Bl'dg.

Musicians supplies at Downing's, 182 Merrimack street.

Biggest dress goods sale of the year at O'Donnell & Gilbride's.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank E. Dunbar have returned from their wedding trip.

E. A. Wilson, coal dealer, is selling coal at lowest cash prices; call at 51 Merrimack street.

Patten & Co. have the finest potted and cut flowers in the city, Shedd's block, Central street.

Hand-knit worsted goods are the leaders in Moir Bros. & Co., big ad. today. Don't miss reading it.

Don't forget to call and see the mantle and chiffonier beds at J. J. Gaynor & Co.'s, 35 Prescott street.

Mr. C. W. Haley, principal of a school in Haverhill, is a candidate for the principalship of the Lincoln school.

Green is selling pianos cheap this week. A new 7 1-3 octave for $200 worth $275. Green's, 88 Merrimack street.

About one half the Gorham street sewer is constructed, and it is expected the work will be completed within the appropriation.

A true, life-like photo is something everybody admires. Marion makes that kind. Visit his studio in Barristers' hall and have a sitting made.

The wedding of Mr. William D. Large and Miss Adina Baynon is announced to occur at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. John J. Mahon, 217 Bridge street, October 17.

The chairmen and secretaries of the democratic city and town committees of the state met at the Tremont house in Boston, Saturday, and talked over the situation in their respective cities.

Mr. and Mrs. James Walmsley of Schaffer street observed the third anniversary of their marriage Friday night. They entertained a party of their friends, and several living pictures were produced.

John McMaster entertained the Highland tennis club, at his home in Westford, Friday evening. A husking bee was held and 42 bushels of corn were husked. Refreshments were served and an entertainment followed.

They say: "Everything goes when the wheel turns 'round." If this is true that wheel would have to hum if it was required to make one revolution for every bottle of Rochester beer that is sold by the Golden Sheaf daily, for the sales are becoming enormous.

Joe Hibbard opened his fall and winter Saturday night socials in Wells' dancing academy, and although the weather was decidedly unpleasant, the attendance was quite large and gave promise of a successful season. Joe's orchestra furnished music and dancing was enjoyed until 11.30 o'clock.

Single Day Record Broken.

With 41 arrests on Saturday the single day's booking at the keeper's window in the station house was broken.

Bazaar Profits Were $6000.

It was announced at the masses in the Immaculate Conception church, yesterday, that the profits of the recent bazaar amounted to over $6000.

Work Rushing at Carpet Mill.

The Carpet company's mill is being rushed to fill the orders for carpets. The daily output is 5000 yds of Brussels and Miltons and 10,000 yards of ingrains.

Lowell Boys Were Winners.

The high school foot ball team met and defeated the McGaw Institute team at Reed's Ferry, N. H., Saturday, 20 to 0. The Lowell boys played a fast and steady game.

Lawyer Cowley Fined $100.

A Boston dispatch says that Lawyer Charles Cowley of this city has been fined $100 on one count against him for demanding illegal pension fees, by Judge Nelson in the U. S. court.

Rescued By A Boat.

A large gang of workmen employed by the Locks & Canals were engaged in working upon the rocks, in the Merrimack river near the island, Saturday. The water rose so rapidly that when they attempted to go ashore, it could not be forded. It was necessary to get a boat and progress was made slowly owing to the swift current.

ROW AT A WEDDING.

Two Poles Who Were Hiding Taken Into Custody as the Assailants.

A wedding occurred on Williams street, Saturday night, in which the contracting parties were Poles, Belgians, or some other kind of foreigners, and during its progress a bloody fight occurred. Officer Hickson heard of the trouble immediately after the start, and as he arrived on the scene the fighters transferred the scrimmage to the street. Special Officer Chase of the Boston & Maine depot had arrested Felix Burke, who was badly cut about the head. Later on Officer Hickson accompanied by Sergt. Kew searched the house and found Hendrisk Dymski and John Nowoski hiding in the cellar. Both were arrested.

PERCY J. LYNCH,

The Famous Aquatic Reporter of the Mail, Turns Hero and Emulates Grace Darling in the Rescue of Sailors.

Two foolhardy Frenchmen went out in a sail boat on the upper river yesterday. A reefing breeze was bowling down the river, which kicked up the river into a miniature sea. On the open stretch of river from Pickering's to North Chelmsford the river was very rough, and it was just above Pickering's that the amateur sailors came near ending their lives. They were struck by a squall and capsized.

Their perilous position was seen from the boulevard and people ran up the road until opposite a small pleasure boat, which under lee of the shore was being pulled up river. The solitary oarsman was Percy J. Lynch of the Mail. He was made to understand what was wanted of him, and so he rowed back to the submerged sail boat and one by one took off the nearly drowned men.

Percy has more than a local reputation as a society man, long distance swimmer, oarsman and dancer, but this last performance deserves great credit, for it is no easy job to pick up drowning men during a gale. When the history of Lowell shall be written no mention will be made here of a Grace Darling, but P. J. Lynch's name should be handed down to posterity.

The moral of the story to Lowell boys is, let sail boats alone in a piping breeze, if you can't swim.

Louis Alexander,

Importer and tailor, 65 Central street, is a first class practical cutter of long experience in fine New York houses. Is up with the times and guarantees satisfaction. Fall Importations now ready.

Your Eye Is a Seer,

But not a prophet. Prices like the rest of our business—popular. Popular teas and coffees promote prosperity. Let ours help you to success. There is only one 68 Merrimack street, and that is over the door of Dickson Brothers.

Money loaned on endorsed notes, personal securities and second mortgages on real estate by J. B. Swift, 9 Barristers hall. Telephone 405-4.

VIOLATED TRUST

Alleged in a Suit Against Senator Squire.

NEARLY $1,500,000 IS INVOLVED IN LITIGATION.

The Culmination of a Deal Made Many Years Ago.

MINNEAPOLIS, Oct. 15.—A local paper says that in a few days papers will be filed in a lawsuit which will involve the title to real estate valued at nearly $1,500,000, and will call upon United States Senator Squire of Washington for an accounting of property intrusted to him.

The plaintiffs are Colonel William S. King of this city, Philo Remington's famous antagonist in the historic suit of years ago, and Philo Osgood and John N. Goodwin of Ilion, N. Y. A quarter of a century ago King and Remington were close friends.

Years ago they invested heavily in western real estate, one of the deals being the purchase of a large amount of property where now stands Seattle. When the final crash came, this property was given to Remington.

To Hold In Trust.

Subsequently Remington, who died a few years ago, intrusted the property to his son-in-law, Squire, who is the defendant named. Squire, according to the complainants, had never made an accounting of the old trust.

The property, then worth a few hundreds of dollars, is now worth millions. Part of it had been sold, and none of the money, according to the plaintiffs, has reached their partners in the original syndicate. Even the unsold portion, which, it is alleged, Squire still holds, comprises a number of choice locations in the heart of Seattle. These properties alone are conservatively estimated to be worth from $1,200,000 to $1,500,000.

Attacked by Di Rudini's Party.

LONDON, Oct. 15.—The Rome correspondent of The Times, denying the reported coolness between Prime Minister Crispi and Foreign Minister Blanc and the impending retirement of Sig. Blanc, says that the policy of the two ministers is absolutely identical. Sig. Blanc's position is assured. The attacks upon him are instigated by the Di Rudini party, who oppose the triple alliance and the alliance with Great Britain.

The Fight Went On.

PARIS, Oct. 15.—During a bullfight at Dax, yesterday, an officer, escorted by policemen, went to the arena to stop the fight. He laid before the directors a legal paper forbidding the fight, but was ignored by them. The toreadors continued their work until they killed the bull, amid the cheers and applause of the spectators. After the fight the crowd hustled the policemen and jeered the officer. The town is much excited.

An Alarming Discovery.

HAVRE, Oct. 15.—Several packages purporting to be furniture were landed here from Southampton. Upon examining them the police found that they contained a perfect arsenal of anarchist weapons, including various bombs, explosives, old arms and ammunition, skeleton keys and burglars' tools. The Havre police communicated with the English police, who are trying to trace the packages to the sender.

A Magnificent Gift to a Church.

LANCASTER, Pa., Oct. 15.—Bishop Rullson of the diocese of central Pennsylvania consecrated the magnificent golden chalice presented to St. James' Episcopal church by the late Mrs. James Wiley of Bethlehem. The chalice is richly studded with diamonds and other jewels worn by the donor during her life. It cost over $6000 and Bishop Rullson asserts that it is the most valuable in the United States.

Socialists Hold Balance of Power.

BRUSSELS, Oct. 15.—The election returns now at hand are confusing, and it is impossible to tell how the election has gone. It is known, however, that the Socialists will be in a position to dictate terms to the Liberals, and if their terms are rejected, all the seats will fall to the Clericals, except that of Prime Minister de Burlet. All the members of the cabinet are re-elected.

Hawaiian Politics.

VICTORIA, B. C., Oct. 15.—Advices from Honolulu Oct. 5 state that delegates to the convention which is to choose senators and representatives adopted a resolution that no one who was not openly in favor of annexation should be elected. Registration for the election is proceeding satisfactorily.

Banqueted by the Emperor.

BUDA PESTH, Oct. 15.—King Alexander of Servia arrived here yesterday and proceeded at once to the royal castle, where he was received by Emperor Francis Joseph, who presented to him prominent personages. The emperor gave a state banquet in the king's honor.

Its Efficacy In Doubt.

BERLIN, Oct. 15.—Professor Virchow states that he believes Dr. Behring's diphtheria serum exercises a strong protective effect for weeks, perhaps for a few months, but that it remains to be seen whether the effect is permanent or really curative.

Boston Ship Abandoned.

NEW YORK, Oct. 15.—Steamer Lampasas, from Galveston, reports that on Oct. 9 she fell in with the ship Titan of Boston, Captain Allen, from Navasa, Sept. 27, for Carteret, N. J., abandoned. There was a very heavy sea running.

Robbers Are Still Free.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 15.—Not the shadow of a tangible clew to the identity of the men who accomplished the remarkable feat of train brigandage in Virginia Friday night has as yet come to light.

Couldn't Agree.

BERLIN, Oct. 15.—The negotiations between the brewers and the socialists to settle the long standing boycott against the breweries have collapsed. The boycott will be continued.

Tackled by Three Men.

LACONIA, N. H., Oct. 15.—Patrolman Felch, in quelling a disturbance at Lakeport, was assaulted by two men, who attempted to rescue an arrested party. During the struggle the three rolled down an embankment and the officer was badly injured by beer bottles. Cries for help frightened away the assailants, who were afterward arrested.

All Fixed Up.

BUZZARD'S BAY, Mass., Oct. 15.—Mr. Cleveland and family spent Sunday at Gray Gables. The president has completed the improvement of his lands, having had much plowing and grading done. He has cleaned out an old lily pond, which is to be planted with willows.

TRIBUTES TO DR. HOLMES.

MINISTERS PAY TRIBUTE TO HIS MEMORY.

It Was a Holmes Sunday at Boston—Poems of Praise From New York Pulpits.

BOSTON, Oct. 15.—It was Holmes memorial Sunday yesterday in religious circles, and his poems were discussed and his songs sung in many churches. At the Bowdoin square tabernacle Rev. Walter Calley's special theme was the life and work of Dr. Holmes. The preacher said that the man who died one week ago was one of the most remarkable men of the century, and that his life work benefited the whole world. America not alone mourned him, but his death made a gap in the ranks of the foremost men of his time. Rev. M. J. Savage of the Church of the Unity preached on the "Religion of Dr. Holmes' Poems." Dr. Donald, rector of Trinity, paid an eloquent tribute to Dr. Holmes. Dr. Gordon of the new Old South church, Rev. L. B. McDonald of the New South church, also spoke on his life and work. Several of Dr. Holmes' hymns were sung by the choirs of the Bowdoin square tabernacle and Tremont temple.

AN OCTOBER SUNSET.

Dr. Macarthur's Glowing Eulogium of the Autocrat of the Breakfast Table.

NEW YORK, Oct. 15.—A sermon on the life and character of Oliver Wendell Holmes was preached last night by the Rev. Dr. Macarthur at the Calvary Baptist church. He said in part: "Never was there a more beautiful death than that of Oliver Wendell Holmes. He passed from earth to heaven as beautifully as the sunset on an October day. Never was there a writer in America or Great Britain more honored or beloved.

"Sidney Smith sneeringly asked: 'Who reads an American book?' While he was asking this question half a dozen Americans were preparing to write books which all the world should know.

"Among those men were Hawthorne, Longfellow, Emerson, Lowell and Whittier. Holmes was the center of this brilliant galaxy. There was no writer in the group who reached so lofty a position as Tennyson and Browning, but the average attained by American writers during the period is higher than that reached by British writers of the same time.

"One's heart grows sad as he thinks that the last of this group has gone. There was never before such an American school and in the nature of the case there can never be such another American school. Not until we have some great political upheaval or nature's cataclysm shall we again produce such a school of poets."

Dr. Colyer's Tribute.

NEW YORK, Oct. 15.—"The late autocrat of the breakfast table" was the subject of yesterday's address of Rev. D. Colyer, pastor of the Church of the Messiah. "I feel some touch of anger," said he, "because of the newspaper references to Dr. Holmes, in which he was described as a man of limitations. Such remarks, touching so grand a man, are mistakes. Of all men I have known I think he is the last of whom we could say: 'He wasn't this and he wasn't that.' He was just Oliver Wendell Holmes, the good physician and the grand poet. He was himself, and a bit of the truest manhood we have known in this generation."

Started Out as a Printer.

SANDUSKY, O., Oct. 15.—Oran Follette died yesterday afternoon in his 95th year. When a boy he learned the printers' trade and edited a paper at Batavia, N. Y. He was for some years a member of the New York legislature and an associate of Thurlow Weed. After removing to Ohio he was the editor of The Ohio State Journal, a member of the board of public works and president of the Sandusky, Dayton and Cincinnati railroad. He retired to private life in 1868, but continued to write for the press.

Robbed Mail and Jumped Bonds.

FRANKFORT, Ky., Oct. 15.—Edmund Crittenden was brought here yesterday from Canada and lodged in jail to await trial on charges of having taken money from mails while engaged as letter carrier in Frankfort postoffice. Young Crittenden was arrested last spring and defaulted his bond. It is said Senator Lindsay will make an appeal to President Cleveland to pardon Crittenden, owing to his youth.

Drink and Death.

MIDDLETOWN, Conn., Oct. 15.—John Swanson, aged 37, was burned to death at West Cromwell, about 11 p. m. Saturday. Swanson and about a dozen other Swedes boarded with Mrs. Beanbran. Saturday night the men went to the boarding house considerably intoxicated. About 10:30 o'clock Swanson took a lamp and went to his room and 15 minutes later the rest retired. Two men who roomed next to Swanson kicked over a kerosene lamp in their fooling. The flames spread rapidly and all the household was aroused but Swanson. No one had time to dress, as the house burned like tinder. A ladder was raised to Swanson's window, but the room was ablaze. Swanson was seen lying on the bed, apparently asleep, and was probably already dead from suffocation. The rescuers abandoned the attempt to save him.

Led a Double Life.

BOSTON, Oct. 15.—The Herald is authority for the statement that William Barrott, the alleged burglar held for the murder of Constable Farrar of Lincoln, is now known to be William Bassett, who for 15 years led a double life in Boston and New York under the very eyes of the police. He claimed to be a horse jockey. He looked, acted and talked like a gentleman. His wife is a refined little woman, who, up to a few weeks ago, had no suspicion of the real character of her husband; and their boy, a bright lad of 11, is even now unaware of the revelations against his father. They supposed he was in the horse business in Boston. His little family in New York were maintained in grand style, the rent of the flat alone being $100 a month, while the man himself lived royally in this city.

Child Was Spared.

BROCKTON, Mass., Oct. 15.—The house of E. O. Wilbur was struck by lightning during a heavy thunder storm. The chimney was badly smashed, brick from it being thrown all about the yard. The plastering was knocked from the walls of an upper chamber, in which a 2-year-old girl was asleep in a crib. The lightning came through the wall, just above the child, making a large hole, but the occupant of the crib was not harmed.

Is Queen Lil Crazy?

VICTORIA, B. C., Oct. 15.—A rumor is in circulation at Honolulu that Queen Liliuokalani had gone crazy. The report is not credited, although for several days she had not left the house she is occupying.

Scarise Is Missing.

BARRE, Vt., Oct. 15.—The Washington county grand jury has found an indictment against G. Scarise for the murder of Bellalti here last March. Scarise cannot be found.

CHAMPION FEMALE SCULLER.

Miss Mosentheim Defeated Miss Ashley on the Mississippi.

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 15.—Before a throng which packed the levees on the other side of the river, and the great Eads bridge, Miss Rose Mosentheim, yesterday afternoon, finished easily first in the mile and a half sculling match for the female championship of America, defeating Miss Tillie Ashley of Hartford, who, seeing the race lost, stopped rowing before the contest was half over. The time was 12m. 23⅗s.

ROSE MOSENTHEIM. TILLIE ASHLEY.

The air was crisp and cool, with a rather raw breeze blowing, which, however, had little effect upon the water. The course, which was down stream, lay between the great bridges. It was kept clear by patrol boats. Little time was lost in preliminaries, and at 4:25 the girls got away to a good start, each pulling an easy stroke for the first sixteenth of a mile.

The pulling was then strengthened a bit, and for the first quarter mile there was little to be seen between the bows of the two shells. At this point the St. Louis girl quickened her stroke, pulled into the lead and was never thereafter in danger. Just below the first half-mile the Hartford girl gave the race up and stopped, amid the yelling of men, firing of guns and screeching of locomotives from the tracks along the river front. Immediately after the close of the race the contestants were picked up by their tugs and taken to the clubhouse.

WEST IS MISSING.

Charges of Forgery and Bigamy Said to Be Against Him.

BOSTON, Oct. 15.—James H. West, expert accountant, confidential clerk, collector and bookkeeper in the office of the Mortgage, Loan and Trust company at 9 School street, has disappeared. It was on Sept. 22, says The Globe, that he was last seen, and now the bank police squad are looking for him to answer to the charge of forgery, which it is alleged he has committed.

For some time previous to his sudden departure forged checks, bearing the name of Manager Rothenberg of the trust company, were cashed on several occasions, and as Mr West cannot be found the police have every reason to believe that it was he who forged and passed them.

Besides the police there is another person who would like to see Mr. West apprehended. That is Mrs. West, a bride of but eight months, who has heard since Mr. West's disappearance that there is a woman on the other side of the Atlantic who took his name long before she herself promised to love, honor and obey him, and she would like to confront him with the statement.

So far no direct evidence that he has another wife living has been found, but an investigation is being made, and the suspense of Mrs. West No. 2 will not be of long duration.

HE DIDN'T RESIGN.

Pastor Hood's Pulpit Is Therefore Declared Vacant by the Presbytery.

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., Oct. 15.—Acting under the advice of the presbytery, Moderator Paisley has declared the pulpit of the First United Presbyterian church vacant. There has been trouble between the pastor, Rev. John Hood, and the trustees for several months, his resignation having been asked for as long ago as last January, and a memorial asking the presbytery to recall the pastor was sent to that body at the same time.

Mr. Hood agreed to resign if the proceedings against him were withdrawn from the presbytery, which being done and the resignation not having been sent within the time designated for its receipt, the pulpit was declared vacant yesterday.

Mr. Hood is very well known in his denomination. In connection with the trouble in his church he was arrested two months ago and obliged to appear in court to answer to a charge of assault and battery on the wife of the sexton.

Manufacturers Determined to Fight.

NEW YORK, Oct. 15.—The cloak manufacturers have decided to resist the demands of the striking cloakmakers and to refuse to make any of the concessions the workmen demand. This conclusion was reached yesterday. Sixty-three firms were represented in the conference. The aggregate capital, it was stated, of these firms is $40,000,000 and the aggregate amount paid annually in wages by them is $5,000,000. Some of the speakers said they would rather go out of business than accede to the demands of the strikers.

The Provincial Turmoil.

ST. JOHN'S, N. F., Oct. 15.—A sensation was caused here by the discovery that the Whiteway party had flooded the Trinity district with copies of a letter purporting to have been sent by Mr. Munroe, now a government candidate, to the leaders of the Whiteway party last spring, offering to secure the withdrawal of the elections against the Whitewayites for a monetary consideration. The latter is declared, by the alleged author, to be a base fabrication.

Big Crowd Attended.

NEW YORK, Oct. 15.—In the Broadway theater last night the Temple cup was presented to Captain Ward and his Giants. There was nearly $4000 in the box office, which will be turned over to the Giants. The fun began by a popular company singing a chorus. Attraction after attraction followed in quick succession. Justice Grady made the speech of presentation. Captain Ward made a short and pointed response.

Alleged Board Bill Jumpers.

POUGHKEEPSIE, N. Y., Oct. 15.—Captain Montague Martin, the alleged bridge jumper, and his manager, Duncan Ross, were arrested while waiting at the railroad station for a train for New York. They were charged with attempting to beat the Nelson House out of a board bill.

Fishermen Suffered Severely.

ST. JOHN'S, N. F., Oct. 15.—Banking vessels still arriving show evidence of the havoc played by the gale. The steamer Panther, from Labrador, reports extensive destruction along that coast as a result of the gale. Many craft are ashore.

Mrs. Sprague's Mistake.

NORTH ADAMS, Mass., Oct. 15.—Mrs. Marshall Sprague of this place took an ounce of laudanum, mistaking the poison for medicine. She was unconscious for several hours, but was finally revived and is supposed to be out of danger.

FOR BEAUTY

For comfort, for improvement of the complexion, use only Pozzoni's Powder; there is nothing equal to it.

Big Seizure of Liquor.

BOSTON, Oct. 15.—Ninety-five gallons was the aggregate of intoxicants seized by Lieutenant Brown's squad at the Jefferson House on North street yesterday. An assorted and expensive lot was secured. It varied from plebeian beer up the scale of excellence of wines and liquors, until even "extra dry" was included. George F. Green, a waiter, was placed under arrest on the charge of illegally selling liquor.

Long In the Master's Service.

BROOKLYN, Oct. 15.—Rev. Fr. Sylvester Malone celebrated the 50th anniversary of his pastorate of St. Peter's and St. Paul's church by a grand jubilee yesterday. The services commenced with a high mass, at which Father Malone officiated, assisted by Rev. Frs. Gallagher of St. Michael's and Wood of St. Malachi's, who were Fr. Malone's assistants for 14 years.

Skeletons Were Those of Smallpox Victims.

HINGHAM, Mass., Oct. 15.—The mystery in regard to finding the seven skeletons in the vicinity of the South Shore quarries has been solved. George Lincoln, the town's historian, claims that more than 100 years ago there was a smallpox scourge in the section where the skeletons were found. The pesthouse was then about half a mile from where the skeletons were found.

May Cost a Life.

MALDEN, Mass., Oct. 15.—Three carriages were in collision at the corner of Francis and Washington streets about 6 o'clock last evening. William Reed and his wife were thrown to the ground. Mr. Reed was badly injured. It is thought that Mrs. Reed's skull is fractured, and she may not recover. The men in the other carriage escaped with slight injuries.

Hanged by a Mob.

BEATTYSVILLE, Ky., Oct. 15.—Oscar Morton was taken from jail here and hanged by a mob of 100 men. He had been placed in jail for shooting and killing William Simms, sheriff of this county, who had attempted to arrest him for creating a disturbance at the county fair. Morton was under bond for killing James Wilson three months ago.

Struck by a Squall.

NEW BEDFORD, Mass., Oct. 15.—Schooner Fred Jackson was struck by a squall at the mouth of Vineyard Haven. She lost her foretopmast, foremast head, maintopmast and some sails. She was boarded by the lifesaving crew at Cuttyhunk, and after the wreckage had been cleared away she came into this port for repairs.

Was Sick For a Long Time.

FRAMINGHAM, Mass., Oct. 15.—Rev. Burtis Judd died Saturday evening, aged 70 years, after a long illness. He lived in Framingham about 20 years and was in the real estate and insurance business. He was well known in many parts of Massachusetts and Connecticut as a Methodist preacher.

Figures Cut Down.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 15.—The officials of the bureau of printing and engraving express the opinion that the losses of postage stamps by the thefts of Smith and his confederates will not exceed $1200 or $1500. It is believed that all of those who were implicated will soon be apprehended.

The First of the Season.

BELLEFONTE, Pa., Oct. 15.—A very heavy windstorm, accompanied by hail and snow, passed over the county yesterday, doing considerable damage. At Blue Knob, Cove Mountain and other peaks of the Alleghenies the ground was covered to a depth of three inches.

Catboat Capsized.

BROOKLYN, Oct. 15.—A catboat containing four men was struck by a squall off Coney Island and capsized. John and Daniel Bailey rescued one of the party, Walter Booth. His three companions were drowned.

Cheap Enough.

BERLIN, Oct. 15.—A Hamburg firm has purchased 100,000 Albini rifles at 4 francs each from the Belgium government for export to China.

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TEMPEST IN NEW BEDFORD.

Several Buildings Struck and Damaged by Lightning.

NEW BEDFORD, Mass., Oct. 15.—This city was visited by a tempest. During the storm a lightning bolt struck William P. Wilson's house on County street. One-half of a big chimney was knocked off and the bolt entered one room, where it did some damage. A barn on the George A. Potter farm on the Hathaway road was also struck by lightning. The building, stock of hay, farming utensils, four cows and two horses were burned.

Lucky Banker.

PARIS, Oct. 15.—George Banker, the American wheelman, won the grand prize of Paris at the bicycle races. The prize is a work of art valued at 3000 francs, to which the city council added 750 francs and a gold medal.

A FRISKY MUSTANG

Mixed Up Matters on Two Streets Early This Morning.

The mustang belonging to Victor Gelineu, a grocer, and hitched to a democrat wagon, ran away about 8.30 o'clock this morning in Middlesex street creating quite a stir. Down the street came the mustang at furious gait. At Burbeck's restaurant it collided with Fred Weaver's wagon, the mustang breaking away with just the shafts attached, leaving the democrat wagon in ruins behind it. The mustang kept up the lively hustle through Central street to the postoffice where it was caught. A woman crossing the street at Chalin's narrowly escaped being knocked down. Frank Weaver's wagon had an axle sprung.

Rev. Hugh Montgomery was naturalized in Strafford county, N. H., Feb. 17, 1875.

For This Week Only, Grand Sale of

Hand-Knit Worsted Goods, Infants' Coats and Bonnets.

Having purchased this gigantic line since the recent tariff reductions in wool, we are confident that the prices we name here are lower by far than any of our competitors dare offer. We are satisfied with a small margin of profits knowing that a nimble sixpence is better than a slow shilling. Read every item carefully.

1 lot Infants' Bootees, hand-knit Worsted, always sold for 19c., sale price 10c. a pair.

1 lot Infants' Bootees, regular 25c. quality, sale price 15c. a pair.

1 lot Infants' Bootees, silk embroidered, long legs, well worth 50c., sale price 25c. pair.

1 lot Infants' Draw Leggings, in white and black, always 99c., sale price 49c. a pair.

1 lot Ice Wool Shawls in black and cream, well worth 79c., sale price 39c. each.

1 lot Ice Wool Shawls in black and cream, very pretty designs, well worth 87c., sale price 49c. each.

Other styles in exquisite dainty patterns, at 98c., $1.25, and $1.49 each.

1 lot pretty Worsted Shawls, in handsome designs and colors, 98c., well worth $1.50 each.

INFANTS' COATS.

1 lot Infants' Elderdown Coats, tinted with Angora Fur, always $2.50, sale price $1.49 each.

1 lot Infants' Elderdown Coats, in tan, grey and white, always $3.50, sale price $2.25 each.

Other styles at $1.87, $2.97, $3.97 each.

1 lot Infants' Hand-knit Jackets, in pretty colors, all sizes, well worth 50c., sale price 25c. each.

1 lot Infant's Hand-knit Jackets, pretty crochet stitch, with colored borders, always 75c., sale price 49c. each.

1 lot Infants' Hand-knit Jackets, in large sizes, very heavy, always $1, sale price 75c. each.

1 lot Infants' Silk Embroidered Jackets with ribbon ties, usually sold for $1.50, sale price 98c. each.

FASCINATORS.

1 lot pretty Wool Fascinators, in all colors, well worth 39c., sale price 25c. each.

1 lot Chenille Fascinators, with beads, in cream, pink, blue, black and chinchilla, well worth 87c., sale price 49c. each.

1 lot Chenille Fascinators, in the same colors as above, very pretty, well worth $1, sale price 69c. each.

1 lot Chenille Fascinators, all covered with beads in colors as above, well worth $1.50, sale price 98c. each.

Ladies' Cardigan Jackets—1 lot Ladies' Cardigan Jackets, in black, navy, garnet and brown well worth $1, sale price 75c. each.

1 lot Ladies' Cashmere and Flannel Waists, very pretty styles, large sleeves, all colors, well worth $2.50, sale price $1.97 each.

1 lot Infants' Hand-knit Worsted Hoods, usually sold for 50c., sale price 25c. each.

1 lot Infants' Hand-knit Worsted Hoods, in all colors, well worth 75c., sale price 49c. each.

1 lot pretty silk shell cover, Hand-knit Worsted Hoods, well worth $1.50, sale price 98c.

1 lot Children's Silk Embroidered Bonnets, with full ruche, lined, always 50c., sale price 25c. each.

1 lot Elderdown Bonnets, with full ruche, always 50c., sale price 25c. each.

1 lot Infants' Silk Embroidered Bonnets, in a variety of patterns and styles, well worth 75c., sale price 49c.

1 lot Infants' China Silk Embroidered Bonnets, must be seen to be appreciated, usually $1, sale price 69c. each.

Infants' Long Cloaks—1 lot Infants' Long Cloaks, ribbon trimmed, very pretty, well worth $3, sale price $1.97 each.

1 lot Infants' long cloaks, made from finest Cashmere, ribbon trimmed, well worth $3.50, sale price $2.49 each.

Remember these prices are for THIS WEEK ONLY. Special Bargains in every department. Be sure and visit us when down town.

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The Dress Goods Event of the Year.

Neither Boston nor New York can surpass our Offerings this week. The most gigantic purchase in the history of our business we made last week.

Collected and selected with the freedom that is created by the confidence our friends, the public, show in every wise and courageous movement we make. 500 pieces of high grade colored Dress Fabrics, bought at a fraction of cost to manufacture,

Was Placed on Sale This Morning, Oct. 15.

At the Lowest Prices ever quoted on first-class merchandise. Our cash offer for the lot saved the manufacturer from placing them in the auction sale to realize money, and enables us to offer our trade a

Dress Pattern for Less Than Half Price

Nothing second-rate. Anything of a shabby sort will not answer here. These are some of the prices—

LOT 1—75 pieces of Illuminated Jacquard Suitings, 50 inches wide, ordinary regular value 59c.,
Sale Price Today 29c. Yard.

LOT 2—Several thousand cards of Granite Novelty Cloths, 40 inches wide, in a bewildering variety of colors, we have sold same goods to date at 75c.
Sale Price Today 39c. Yard.

LOT 3—A beautiful collection of Silk and Wool Fabrics, in a superb assortment of fancy mixtures, 40 inches wide, many people bought same goods last year at $1 per yard.
Sale Price Today 49c. Yard.

LOT 4—An elegant assortment of Changeable Colored Mixtures, Cleopatra and Roslyn Suitings, Broadcloths in shades of Bluet, Marine and Lincoln Green, made to sell at $1.50 per yard, 40 to 50 inches wide.
Sale Price Today 75c. Yard.

LOT 5—Covert Cloths, Jacquard Valours, Zanta Novelties, in harmonious combination of color effects, every piece 50 inches wide, all high grade goods.
Sale Price Today 98c. Yard.

LOT 6—60 high grade Novelty Pattern Suits, no two gowns the same, every pattern confined exclusively to us in Lowell. Sold usually from $15 to $20
Sale Price Today $7.49 Each.

There are lots and lots more to see of Beautiful Dress Goods. The seeing costs nothing. Come and look.

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THAT POLISH WEDDING ROW

RESULTS IN A NUMBER OF FINES IN COURT TODAY.

Judge Hadley Gives a Young Man Timely Warning on the Drunk Habit—Much Money Collected in Fines.

There was an array of drunks in court this morning that nearly equalled that of the famous Monday a few weeks ago when the "soaks" to the number of 70 odd were in court.

But there was a record broken this time, however, for the patrol wagon made more trips on Saturday than on any one day since its introduction to the police department.

They were of all kinds and conditions, and many were from out-of-town, and had acquired the drunkenness habit since their arrival in town.

Some had damaged faces, Patrick Healey, in particular, for Healy fell on Gorham street, injuring his eye very badly.

Twelve drunks, who were never before the court before, were allowed to go.

Among those released was a very respectable appearing young man and to him Judge Hadley said "Did you see those young men marching through the streets the other night?" The prisoner replied affirmatively. "If you will join one of their societies," then said the court "you will not be coming in here to the disgrace of yourself and friends."

Eight Sunday drunks were fined the usual amount, $5.

Kate O'Connor, who distinguished herself some time ago by jumping into the river, was in for drunkenness and she denied the charge with great emphasis. She was fined $3.

Alphonse Durant was arrested by Officer Lennon for drunkenness and assault on Josephine Leferrier. He pleaded not guilty and retained Lawyer Hamil as counsel. His case was put off until the drunks were finished.

John Quinn of Suffolk street, an elderly man who is well known to the police, was found lying across the corporation tracks on Bridge street in a state of beastly intoxication Saturday noon. Officer Tilton arrested him. He asked to be sent to the farm and when given a sentence of five months at that institution, he said, "I'm willing to go there."

Michael Murtagh went up to the same institution for half a year.

"Felix Burke," who was done up by the Poles on William street, Saturday night, turned out to be Felix Berlinski, and of a different nationality than his name would imply, pleaded guilty to the charge of drunkenness.

"Burke is near enough," said Lawyer River, his lawyer.

Then four Poles were called for drunkenness. Each had a jaw-breaking name, and when a boy was found who could interpret their language two pleaded guilty and two not.

The first called had a name which sounded like Henrich Drinski. He admitted that he was drunk. The second appeared to be Kismes Foggy or something similar, and Kismes said he was not drunk. Officer Hickson saw Foggy drop a knife.

Officer Hickson testified that all parties concerned were at a wedding and that "Burke" was licked. They raise similar rackets every Saturday night and "I have great difficulty in telling them apart. There are so many who resemble each other," said the officer. Foggy was fined $5, Drinsky was fined $5, Nowski was fined $5 and so were Burke and Dowiski. The clerk nearly had a fit when he got over the names. Officer Bumps afterwards had considerable fun in collecting their fines.

Alphonse Durant, for alleged assault was dismissed.

Patrick McCourt assaulted his wife and will do five months in jail.

Patrick McQuade appealed from a sentence of five months in jail for drunkenness and was held in $200 bonds.

Annie Dugan, for drunkenness, was sent to jail for five months.

Some Horse Gossip.

The Saugus trotting meeting opens tomorrow with a great entry list. So many are there in the 2.26 pace that this class will be split, making an extra race for Wednesday.

Among the horses entered is: Frank Ladd's Conemur, from the Oakland farm.

Haverhill and Lawrence are out with speed cards. Entries for the latter close today, while the entries for Haverhill close Oct. 22. Both these tracks have paid big money this season, a good indication for the North Chelmsford track.

Nearly a Freeze Out.

The appropriation for the Centralville sewer is nearly exhausted, and with the money remaining, it is thought the sewer cannot go any further than Billings street.

Japanese Ware Slaughtered.

We are having a sale this week on Japanese novelties. The prices are marked away down. See the goods in our corner window. The U. S. Tea Co., corner Central and Prescott streets.

Marriage Intentions.

The following intentions were recorded at the city clerk's office today:

Thomas Deming 29, to Melvin Landry 28.
Frank Bernie 29, to Jennie Lavallee 16.
William H. McCarthy 20, to Mary Fitzgerald 18.
Daniel J. Crowe 23, to Margaret Camly 21.

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BOWLING TALK

Redivision of the State League May be Tried.

SCHEDULE FOR THE WINTER TO BE REPORTED SOON.

Miserables Team and Substitutes are Already Picked.

All that remains to be done now before the Massachusetts Amateur Bowling league's championship season opens formally is the acceptance of the schedule committee's report. This is almost due, and then the teams will straighten out on the four months or more of competition for the league honors and prizes, says the Herald.

The rule of the league states that the report of the schedule must be submitted on or before Oct. 22d, so at the latest the schedule will be submitted and acted on by a week from today, if not before.

As yet the meeting has not been called. It is possible that an attempt will be made to again redivision the league for the coming contest. This question occupied no end of time at the last meeting of the managers, and if ever a question was freely discussed this was. All sides had an inning, and at the end of it all it was decided to abide by the league rule, and so it was left. The question now is whether the delegates, should the matter come up again, after declaring themselves at the last meeting as favoring the old way, will change their position.

Although the bowling championship has not opened, these are great days at the clubs and at most of the alleys. Aspirants for positions on the various teams in the several clubs are out in force and

New and Old Hands at the Game

are giving each other a go at the pins, each one no doubt hoping to obtain a place on the team and represent their club in the coming battle of balls and pins.

In some of the clubs the activity and interest shown in the game are more than ordinarily marked, and goes a long way to show that the coming bowling season is going to be a season par excellence. Not only is this interest found among the bowlers in the clubs which are represented in the league, but outside as well. Other leagues on a smaller scale are beginning to take shape, and are getting together for a winter of fine sport, seasoned by competition. In fact everything is bright and the outlook good for a splendid season at the favorite amateur winter game.

In the present make-up of the divisions some of the old teams will find themselves travelling in new company, some having gone up and others down. For instance, of the clubs of last year's first division all that remain in division for this year are the Vespers, Casinos, B.A.A.'s and the Salems. The Les Miserables are in this division, having jumped from last year's third division into fourth place in the first, rating ahead of the Salems. The Melrose Athletics rank sixth in this year's first division, having moved up from last year's second division. The Old Dorchesters rate last in the first division, from the fact that the Newton club did not re-enter its team in this year's competition. If Newton had come in the Old Dorchesters would have been first in this year's second division.

Of this year's second division teams those that were in the same division last season are the Jamaicas, Arlingtons, Lowells, Highlands, and Allstons. In this division two of last year's first squad are to roll, the Reviews and Waverlys rating fifth and eighth respectively. The remaining two teams in the division are the 99th Artillery and the Charlestowns, both of which have risen from the third division of last season, and rank second and seventh respectively.

The Codmans, Dorchester Centrals and the Melrose teams of

This Season's Third Division

were in the same division last season, and the Jeffries and Oxford teams, which now rank first and third in this division, were second division teams last season. The Kernwoods, Highlands of Melrose and the Medfords complete the division, and have no rating for last season.

This changing about as outlined above adds greatly to the interest, as new teams in the divisions give a variety that would not be secured if the same teams were meeting each other one year after the other, and also leaves the result in the divisions more uncertain.

This week will be a lively one with practice matches all around, and several teams will visit each other.

The Miserables team has been picked and will be made up as follows: John B. Swift, Joseph T. Purcell, James McLaughlin, Henry J. Farrell and Charles L. Marren. The substitutes are W. J. Kelley, John T. Seede, Joseph F. Donahoe and Peter A. Savage.

PERSONAL.

Miss Leona A. Shecks of Rock street has returned from Portland, Me.

Mr. and Mrs. Julian Talbot have returned from Kennebunkport, Me.

Miss Lucy Bennett has resigned as librarian at the Bennett library in Billerica.

Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Wood of Wannalancit street spent yesterday at Pigeon Cove.

Mr. Amasa Pratt and Alderman G. E. Stanley have been spending a few days at Squirrel island, Me.

Mrs. R. D. Everett and Miss Everett of Boston are visiting Mrs. C. H. Conant of Huntington avenue.

Mrs. O'Donnell, wife of Officer Peter O'Donnell, is very seriously ill at her home, 444 Merrimack street.

Hon. Jeremiah Crowley has gone to Nashville, Tenn. Thomas Costello and P. F. Sullivan to Atlanta, Ga.

Mr. Charles E. Adams will be a guest at the Ohio state board of commerce meeting to be held in Columbus, next month.

Miss McDuffee, of Dr. Sargent's physical culture school at Cambridge, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Philbrick of Walker street.

It is announced that Hon. Fred Douglass of Philadelphia will attend and speak at the coming American Missionary convention in this city. It will be his first visit here since the late Gen. Butler ran for congress.

Did You Get a Ticket?

The Young Men's Catholic Literary society met yesterday afternoon and appointed two committees to bring in a list of candidates to be balloted for at the election to be held October 28. Tickets were distributed for the essay and declamation contest to be held next Sunday evening. Seven propositions were received.

LATEST

5 O'CLOCK.

STRIKE WANING

Half of Fall River's Strikers Went in Today.

MILL MANAGERS PREDICT AN EARLY END OF TROUBLE.

Careful Canvass of the Mills and the Figures Given.

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

FALL RIVER, Oct. 15.—Fully one-half the striking mill operatives went into work this morning, and the mill managers predict that the strike will be a thing of the past by Saturday night.

A careful canvass of the mills shows that out of every 1000 of the 59,870 looms in the city 511 are running.

This includes the Iron works which are running at the old schedule of wages. The striking weavers made a demonstration this morning, but did not disturb the peace.

FROM THE WIRE.

The supply of Columbian dollars put on sale by the treasury will not equal the demand.

The health of the Ameer of Afghanistan is precarious.

The first snow of the season fell at Middleton, N. Y., this morning.

TRIED TO KILL.

Liquor Dealers Held Responsible for an Attempt at Assassination of an Officer.

By Associated Press to THE SUN

BROCKTON, Oct. 15.—Special Officer Edward G. Knight, who did duty at the recent Brockton fair detecting illegal liquor dealers, while riding in an electric car last night was shot at but not hit. A covered carriage came up behind the car and the occupants discharged a shot gun the heavy charge burying itself in the seat under Officer Knight. It is believed the liquor dealers are responsible for the attack on the officer.

"BOB" HOWARD CALLED

To Lead the Democrats of Fall River and New Bedford to Victory.

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

NEW BEDFORD, Oct. 15.—In the democratic congressional convention this morning ex-Senator Robert Howard was nominated for congress.

A HORRIBLE TRAGEDY.

Insane Mother Kills Her Family and Sets a Barn Afire.

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

ELIZABETH, N. J., Oct. 15.—The Harrigan family of four was found in a blazing barn on the outskirts this morning. It is thought that Mrs. Harrigan went insane and taking her three children, aged 6 and 4 years and 14 months, killed them, set fire to the barn and then killed herself.

WITH GREAT PROSPECTS.

Chris Holmes Opens His Bran New Cloak and Suit Parlors, and Under the Most Favorable Auspices.

The opening day of Chris Holmes fine cloak and suit parlors in Masonic Temple was a success beyond expectations, and the patronage already bestowed assures him that his departure has been looked forward to for a long time, and a necessity.

His parlors are not only commodious and convenient but filled with the most desirable of this season's styles in cloaks and suits. For three days the ladies have been visiting the store, and now they will proceed to exchange their cash for a coveted winter garment.

GRAND JURY CASES.

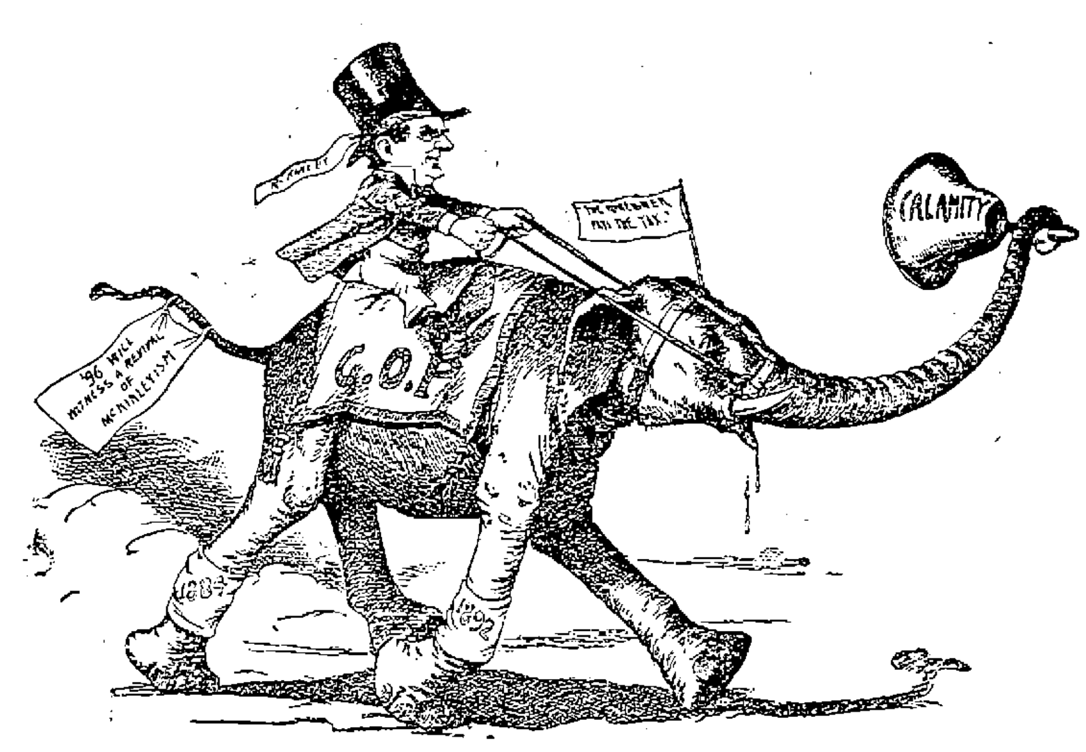
Long List of Offenders From This City Called Before the Grand Jury This Week.

The following Lowell cases will come before the grand jury this week:

George Howard, James Brown, Patrick McKenna, Frank Shaw, larceny; Frederick W. Goodwin, embezzlement; Thomas Flanagan, assault with a dangerous weapon; Edward Murphy, uttering a forged discharge for money; John Joyce, William Fleming, Henry Lynch, Thomas Roy, breaking and entering and larceny; Edward J. Mellen and Catharine Noonan, lewd cohabitation; John J. Fahey William Shea, Timothy Lynch, breaking and entering and larceny; Herman Voys, breaking and entering and larceny; Nell McCrush, breaking and entering and larceny; Peter St. Cyr, embezzlement; Thos. Savage, escape from workhouse; Fred Eno, felonious assault (carnal abuse); Georgianna Morrow, fraudulent conveyance; John M. Vaijo, concealing mortgaged property; Dennis Shea, attempt to break and enter and larceny; Thomas J. Robinson, breaking and entering with attempt to commit larceny; Charles Goodwin and Henry Fahey, attempting to break and enter and commit larceny; H. M. Brown, false pretences; Patrick H. Shea and Henry Buteau, breaking and entering and larceny in a railroad car; Burt Morton alias John Hayes and George Robinson, larceny; James Hicks, breaking and entering and larceny; John McManus and Annie Kelleher, adultery; John P. Laskey and Josephine Daniel, lewd and lascivious cohabitation; Cornelius Nagle, Patrick Foley and Patrick Sullivan, murder; William W. Geliman, breaking and entering and larceny; Charles Cleveau, breaking and entering and larceny; Joseph Daigle, breaking and entering and larceny.

Newspaper Man Won.

The Vesper individual bowling tournament came to an end Saturday night and Rodney F. Hemenway won first place. The other winners were C. S. Foss and Harry J. Corwin. There were surprises all along the line.



SOME MEN NEVER KNOW WHEN THEY ARE DEAD.

It is just about this time of the year that our esteemed brethern, editors of Republican journals, write ancient political "gulch" under the supposition that the People will think it is fresh sermons on texts of the times. Like Bill McKinley who is riding a free elephant to death, they have a happy faculty of believing the whole people can be humbugged all the time in a political way.

THEATRICAL NEWS.

Another great week for theatrical attractions in the Opera house and Music hall is ahead, and patrons had better open their pocket books in preparation. At the Opera house tonight Pawn Ticket 210 will be the attraction. It is an adaptation from the drama Court Royal which years ago brought fame and fortune to the charming Lotta. It is a drama of thrilling interest throughout, with situations strongly dramatic but not overdrawn.

Marie Jansen than whom there is no better favorite coming here will present her bright play Miss Dynamite tomorrow evening, and it ought to create as big a vacuum among the usual stay at homes as a charge of dynamite in a stubborn ledge.

Thursday evening, Helen Dauvray, wife of John Montgomery Ward, an ex-king of the diamond, will present her season's success That Sister of His, or a Sensation in Bangs. With Annie Ward Tiffany at the head of her support there need little be said about the quality of her company or the merit of her production.

At Popular Prices.

Colonel and I, is the enticing title of a farce comedy at the cosy family theatre Music hall, for the first three evenings. We bespeak for it big business, as the company and its comedy come here from lucrative fields elsewhere with nothing but good words spoken for it. The company includes some clever people, who, together make an entertainment refined clean, bright and humorous, and which is full weight in return for popular prices. Managers Thomas and Watson are outdoing all past records in providing a fine class of attractions, although the season is young yet. Don't overlook their announcements.

FUNERAL SERVICES.

The funeral of Mary Wheeler took place yesterday afternoon from her late home 352 Broadway and was largely attended. The remains were interred in the Catholic cemetery where the committal service was read by Rev. Fr. Leonard of St. Patrick's church.

The funeral of Margaret Dixon took place yesterday afternoon from 58 Church street, services being conducted by Robert McJennett. The bearers were Messrs. Kerr, Campbell, Wilmot and Calvin. Burial was in the Edson cemetery.

Services were held over the remains of Elizabeth Hamblett at 19 Belmont street Saturday afternoon. There was a large attendance of friends and relatives. Rev. F. O. Hall and Rev. George W. Bicknell conducted the service. The bearers were Messrs. Whitcomb, Sprague, Scripture and Brown. Interment was in the Edson cemetery.

Rev. F. O. Hall and Rev. George W. Bicknell conducted services yesterday over the remains of Albert W. Sayles at his late home, 649 Westford street. The bearers were Joel Knapp, W. F. Morey, O. M. Silver and Archibald Bissell. The remains were interred in the Lowell cemetery.

The funeral of Alice Cunningham took place from her parents' home on Cady street and was very largely attended. The remains were taken to St. Peter's church where services were conducted by Rev. Fr. McDonough. The bearers were six young friends of the deceased. There were numerous floral offerings. Interment was in the Catholic cemetery.

ORGANIZED WORKERS.

What They Did at Their Meeting Yesterday—Big Sum of Money Sent to the New Bedford Strikers.

The Central Labor union held its shortest session of the year yesterday. The epitome of the business is as follows:

The secretary reported that he had received from Carroll D. Wright 15 volumes of the seventh annual report of the commissioners of labor; also from James C. Murray, state inspector of factories, a copy of the laws relating to the duties of factory owners.

The cotton spinners reported that their union had forwarded $585 to the aid of the New Bedford strikers.

The legislative committee reported that it had mailed its list of queries to local candidates for political office in the November elections.

The organizing committee reported that it had requested the bakers and cardworkers to communicate with Mr. Connolly or Mr. Weeks, informing them of a date and place to meet and address them on the benefits of organization.

Business in Making Voters.

There were 61 applicants for registration Saturday afternoon and evening. Of this number 59 went through all right, one had been registered before and the other was unable to read or write.

About 41 persons were naturalized at the police court Saturday afternoon.

Will Meet in Lowell.

The Merrimack Valley Congregationalists will meet with Rev. Mr. Kenngott's church, Wednesday evening, while the Merrimack Valley Baptist social union will meet with Rev. Dr. Seymour's church the same evening.

FROM THE POLITICAL FIELD.

WHAT A LAWRENCE PAPER THINKS OF MR. FIFIELD.

The Ward Six Democratic Club to Look Into the New Caucus Law—The Rev. A. P. A. Dunn's Final Back Down From Accepting Rev. Fr. O'Brien's Challenge

The Rev. Dr. Dunn, A. P. A., preached in his church yesterday upon the order of which he is the spokesman and leader. He read his letter declining Rev. Fr. O'Brien's challenge to submit the charges against Catholics to a commission of six Protestant gentlemen.

A reporter waited on Rev. John O'Brien at his residence on 6th street, in East Cambridge, last evening, and his attention was called to the address delivered by Dr. Dunn in the People's temple during the afternoon. Asked what he had to say in reply, Fr. O'Brien said:

"I am extremely sorry that my offer, made in good faith and for the public good, to submit the issue raised by Dr. Dunn in the Boston Advertiser, to a commission of reputable Protestant gentlemen, should be the occasion of such an unseemly exhibition of bad temper and unchristian misrepresentation, and that, too, in a church dedicated to the worship of God and to that christian charity and good-will among men for which I fondly believe every church stands.

"Of course I cannot be expected to carry on a newspaper controversy with my friend Dr. Dunn.

"The people who could hiss the honored name of the president of Harvard university would not be likely to give me a fair hearing or be influenced by reason, logic or common sense.

"Mr. Dunn's unseemly and angry discussion of my offer is the best proof the public could have that this offer is the only sensible and practical way of getting at the real facts and the truth of the case.

"As I said in my letter to the Advertiser the real question is whether the allegiance of Catholics in the United States is limited or affected by the teachings of the pope in this encyclical or by the teachings of the church in such a way that it is different from the allegiance of good Protestant christians who acknowledge God as the supreme ruler of the world and obey his command in the scriptures: 'Render to Cæsar the things that are Cæsar's and to God the things that are God's.'

"I proposed that the settlement of this question should be left in the hands of a commission of Protestant gentlemen, with Judge Hoar to act as chairman. The public, aside from Mr. Dunn's peculiar hearers and followers, will, I am sure, agree with me in saying that this plan is in every way fair, worthy of the dignity of the Christian character of the issue, raised in good faith I prefer to believe by my friend, Mr. Dunn. He refuses to submit his contention for examination and final settlement to a body of Protestant gentlemen who have the confidence and respect of the country.

"This being the present situation of affairs I cannot be expected to take further notice of Mr. Dunn's charges."

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The Ward Six democratic club held a meeting yesterday and elected officers for the ensuing year. Mr. Tompkins withdrew as a candidate for president in favor of Mr. Hourihan, who was elected. The other officers were: J. J. Delaney, vice president; James Mack, secretary; Dennis O'Neil, treasurer; board of government, Thomas Calnan, chairman; James Farrell, secretary; P. J. Cassidy, Frank Breen, William Gormly, John McCarron, Felix McKeon.

After the business meeting a discussion arose relative to the new caucus law. It was voted to instruct the secretary to get a copy for the next meeting. It was voted to procure a flag to be unfurled at the new quarters, which will be ready for occupancy at the next meeting.

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Says the Lawrence Saturday Evening Star:

Lawrence will make an excellent showing in the congressional contest.

Mr. Knox is not popular here at home with his own party, and some pretty prominent republicans will mark a cross on election day against the name of Geo. W. Fifield.

The more Lawrence people learn of Mr. Fifield, the more they admire him.

First impressions go a long distance and the first impressions that Lawrence people got of Mr. Fifield were favorable in the extreme.

Mr. Fifield is not one of those public officials that cringe and grovel for political preferment. As mayor of Lowell he gave the city high-minded and able service, and his administration takes first rank for efficiency and worth. He stands well to the fore as a business man, and is honored and respected throughout the length and breath of Lowell.

Such a man have the democrats nominated for Congress and he ought to win. He stands for the people and for popular measures, and he will be found strongest among the strong when the votes on election day, are counted.

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Governor Greenhalge is getting ready for the fall campaign. He will speak at Hyde Park, this evening, at Springfield tomorrow evening and at Holyoke, Wednesday evening.

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Hugh Riley has announced himself as a candidate for overseer of the poor in Ward Three.

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John J. Keefe is a candidate for the democratic nomination for overseer of the poor in Ward Five. Mr. Keefe is at present a member of the board and has been for several years. He is a popular young man and feels sure of success should he receive the nomination.

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Among the council candidates in Ward One is William Lyons at present a member of the city committee. He is well known throughout the ward and his friends are making an excellent rally for his success.

DEATHS.

James Chatbourne, aged 28 years, died Saturday at 1 Dexter place, South Boston. The remains were brought to this city this noon and interred in the Catholic cemetery. He leaves a sister who resides on the Massachusetts corporation in this city.

Honora Sullivan, aged 8 months, child of Philip and Hannah Sullivan, died Saturday night at their home, 452 Lawrence street. The funeral took place this afternoon, and the remains were buried in the Catholic cemetery.

Isabella Smith, aged 46 years, died yesterday at the home of her sister, Mrs. C. R. Sprague in North Chelmsford.

Mrs. Mary McDonald, widow of the late Thomas McDonald, died Saturday afternoon at her home, 125 High street. She had been ill but four weeks. She is survived by five sons and two daughters. One of her sons is Capt. M. E. McDonald of the Lowell police department. Funeral services will be held at the Immaculate Conception church Tuesday morning at 9 o'clock. Friends are invited to attend without further notice.

John Keenan, aged 80 years, died last night at his home, 5 Cedar court, off Cedar street. Deceased was a native of Ireland, and came to this city 45 years ago. He was a member of St. Patrick's Temperance society. He leaves two daughters, Kate and Ellen, and two sons, John and Michael. The funeral will take place from St. Peter's church at 9 o'clock tomorrow morning.

Joseph O'Brien, aged 7 months, child of Michael and Alice O'Brien, died yesterday at their home, 69 Fulton street. The funeral took place this afternoon and the remains were interred in the Catholic cemetery.

Susan P. O'Brien, aged 50 years, wife of Patrick O'Brien, a prominent Ward One resident, died this morning at her home, 12 Cross street.

Harriet A. Parker, wife of Frederick J. Parker, died yesterday at her home in Graniteville, aged 54 years. Deceased is survived by one daughter.

McManmon, florist, Prescott & Merr'k sts

VICTORY AT LAST.

Eighteenth Street Residents Will Have a Sewer in the Near By and By.

Aldermen Bagley and Lovejoy of the sewer committee met Saturday afternoon and voted to recommend sewers in Eighteenth street, Whitney avenue, Mt. Vernon street and Third avenue.

City Engineer Bowers called the attention of the committee to the need of devising some means to relieve Hale's brook. The board of health claims that the attention of the sewer committee has been called to this place during the past three years and nothing has been done.

The members of the committee agree that something must be done, but as there is no money on hand, they cannot undertake the work, unless a loan is asked for.

Cup Custodian For The Winter.

The last of the individual shoots of the Military Rifle association for the Parker cup, was held at the city farm range, Saturday. Owing to the inclement weather, there were but 10 entries. Private Ed. Worthen of D company was the winner, with a score of 46. The others were Priv. Randall, G Co., 44; Sergt. Colby, C Co., 43; Priv. Robinson, G Co., 43; Lieut. Worthen, D Co., 41; Priv. Baker, G Co., 41; Priv. Rodger, G Co. 40; Priv. Delmage, G Co. 38; Priv. Hames, G Co., 38.

A question as to the ownership of the cup during the winter has arisen. Three men have won it once each, but no one has won it twice. The directors will meet Wednesday to decide the matter.

A Chestnut Item.

Yesterday was a great day for chestnutting. Parties of people in buggies, carryalls, express wagons and on foot made their way to Chestnut woods in Westford and were rewarded for their journey by an ample supply of chestnuts.

THE SUN EXTRA

6 O'CLOCK

THE WILSON BILL

Makes Living Less Than Under McKinleyism.

GLORIOUS RESULT APPARENT OF DEMOCRATIC LAWS

And the Good Times Have Only Just Begun.

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

NEW YORK, Oct. 15.—The World today prints nearly a page of tables showing the effect of the Wilson tariff bill upon the cost of articles in every day use. It finds that in every case prices are less than under the McKinley tariff, and draws the following conclusions:

Necessaries of life are cheaper than they have been for years. Since the new tariff law became a law there has been a marked decrease all along the line in the cost of staples and the cost of living is much less than it was four years ago, after the McKinley act became operative.

Imported articles of daily use and articles composed wholly or in part of raw materials which come into this country through custom house, particularly, are cheaper.

One dollar will now buy from 10 to 25 per cent. more than it would one year ago, when times were worse than in 1894.

The effect of decreased duties has in fact been diametrically opposite to that produced by an increase of tariff rates in 1890. Then there was a general advance. Prices went up to a point higher than they had ever been in a generation, trusts multiplied in number and the whole nation was taxed to support them.

Prices last year, compared with prices in 1890, showed a slight tendency downward, probably because of the hard times, but the reduction were nowhere so great as they have been since the tariff rates were lowered.

Prosperity, it is conceded on all hands, is now returning. Business is reviving, yet as compared with one year ago, when the wheel of trade was nearly motionless the cost of maintaining life in comfort is very much less.

The new wool schedule will not go into effect until Jan. 1, yet carpets are cheaper already, and cheaper dress goods will soon be within reach of the women of the land.

Further changes in the direction herein noted seem inevitable. Cheaper tin will cheapen canned goods; cheaper white lead will reduce the cost of paint and cheaper acids will reduce in the end the price of shoes.

THE RAGING WATERS SPREAD.

BAD BREAK IN A RESERVOIR AT LANCASTER, PA.

About 10,000,000 Gallons Escaped, But Gradually, and in a Direction Away From the City—Roads and Fields Are Badly Washed, But No Other Damage is Reported.

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

LANCASTER, Pa., Oct. 15.—A break occurred in the west bank of the new reservoir in the western part of this city last night, and nearly all its contents, about 10,000,000 gallons, escaped.

The break was from top to bottom, but the water escaped gradually and flowed in a direction away from the city. Advices are that the roads and fields are badly washed, but it is believed that no buildings have been damaged. The water spread out over a wide territory.

The damage to the reservoir is serious and the loss to the city will be heavy.

Incidents Where Blood Flowed.

Patrick Healey while "seeing the elephant" fell on Gorham street and cut a gash in his forehead from which the blood flowed like water. Dr. Ricker took several stitches in the wound after stopping the claret.

A drunken mill operative in a Massachusetts corporation boarding house last night started in to whip his wife and did nothing more than to put his fist through a window cutting himself quite badly.

A Yokel in Trouble.

John Comptois, a Frenchman living in North Chelmsford drove to Little Canada where he took in the sights and considerable whiskey, Saturday. He had a row with the natives and his horse kicked the wagon to which it was harnessed into kindling wood, to add to its owner's misfortune. Comptois got the worst of the fight and wound up his unlucky junket by getting arrested. He had $104 with him when locked up.

Wedding on Saturday.

The wedding of Mrs. Mary E. Ebert, widow of the late H. F. Ebert to Mr. John Knox of Albany, occurred Saturday evening, at the bride's home, on Branch street. Alderman Charles Witt of Albany was best man, and Mrs. Naomi Robinson of Andover stood up with the bride. There will be a reception tomorrow evening. Mr. and Mrs. Knox will live at 11 Deleware street, Albany.

Won Their Law Suits.

Thomas Morris and John Boulger who sued the Tremont Tailoring company of Boston in Superior court, won their cases today, getting a verdict of $36.02. This was the clothing suit case.

Hogan Says Hands Up.

Charles Hogan of the post office is again purchasing large instalments of cigars. This time it's a girl.

We have at last found a Mackintosh coat that is all right—one that we can sell and recommend.

The manufacturer writes us as follows:

"We warrant them to be waterproof; that they will not grow hard or stiffen; that they are first-class in every respect—we are always ready to replace any that prove defective in a reasonable length of time. We stand right back of them and you."

Furthermore, these coats are cut from clothing patterns and fit; the first we ever saw that were correctly shaped. Prices $8 to $18.

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LOCAL NOTES.

Rev. W. H. Rogers of Swampscott preached at the Chelmsford street church yesterday.

Miss Annie Dorsey of New York is the guest of Miss Julia Halloran of East Merrimack street.

Wm. G. Lawson of this city, clerk at Mystic wharf, Boston, is suffering from writers' cramp, or pen paralysis.

There will be a regular meeting of the aldermen and a special meeting of the council tomorrow evening to take action on the blanket loan of $100,000.

Mr. Thomas O'Toole and Miss Mary Doherty, both of Lowell, were married by George F. Jackson, Esq., Saturday afternoon at his office in Nashua.

Charles Bowen, an old man, entered the police station this morning in custody of an officer from Wilton, N. H. Bowen recently escaped from the workhouse there. He was arrested by Officer Holland on Market street and turned over to the Wilton officer.

Report of a Year.

The following is an extract from the report of Mrs. A. E. Foster of the W. C. T. U. rooms: Number of visitors during the year, 2551. A loan library has been established which has been added to from time to time, and through the kindness of the city press the tables have been supplied with current literature. A large number of papers and leaflets especially relating to the work and to the work of temperance in general have been given to visitors. Several gifts have been received from friends for the rooms which helped in making it attractive.

Many young women have come to the rooms for sympathy and assistance, and as far as possible have received both. The importance of having headquarters for the work in our city, has become an established fact, and the more so as the necessity for the work increases. In order to maintain this we are largely dependent upon those are interested in temperance. To all who have thus far assisted us we tender our thanks, and earnestly request their future co-operation.

Mr. Adams' Interesting Part.

At the convention of the National Paint, Oil and Varnish association held in Boston last week, Charles E. Adams of this city, as chairman of the postal committee, introduced a resolution which was unanimously adopted, asking that congress be urged to improve the mail service by eliminating from second-class matter, serial publications and trashy literature; also the consolidation of third and fourth-class matter, and the reduction to one cent postage for letters when these changes are made.

The Amend Honorable.

The unjust criticism of Prof. Mireault and his band, on the occasion of the parade Thursday night, by the Mail has happily been rectified today in a statement in that paper. THE SUN had received a communication in reply to that criticism, but as the Mail made honorable amend the communication is unnecessary. Prof. Mireault and his band are so well known that the extent of the charges in the criticism were so surprising that they were not believed. The incident has only created warmer feeling toward the musicians on the part of the public.

Did He Lose $150?

An old man complained at the police station, Saturday night, that while looking for a boarding house on the Hamilton corporation a drunken man offered to escort him to a desirable house. Soon after he learned that he had been robbed of $150. A man was subsequently arrested on suspicion but had no money on his person, and the old man could not identify him.

Activity in Every Branch.

The W. C. T. U. union has re-elected the following officers unanimously: Pres. Mrs. M. P. Wilson; Rec. Sec., Mrs. M. A. Whittier; Treas., Mrs. J. D. Hartwell. The yearly reports show a marked increase in the membership of the union and a corresponding activity in all its lines of work.

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Sundays Trains.

*From Middlesex St. station only.

Trains by this division leave Lowell from Central street station. Leave Boston from the new Union Station, Causeway Street, on Wednesdays and Saturdays only.

BRADSTREETS REPORTS an accentuation of favorable business features this week indicating the beginning of a period of prosperity.

THE MAIL talks of the little ripple at senatorial convention. Why talk of such a trifle and overlook the rumpus at the republican councillor convention?

A CIVIL service rule which protects the office holder in all cases except for bad conduct is one which should be appreciated. It will ensure efficient service.

DEMOCRATS SHOULD register today in order to be allowed to vote at the state election. Wednesday is the last day on which this opportunity will be available.

THE CZAR is very drowsy. If he should fall asleep and forget to wake up the world will be the gainer. The sooner a tyrant dies the better for those under his despotic sway.

JOHN L. SULLIVAN is negotiating for the purchase of a cider ranch at Sherburne He would there conduct a pugilists' home with a cider diet. It is not probable that John L. would live at Sherburne.

SENATOR HILL, the intrepid candidate of the New York democracy, is making a triumphal tour of the state. Everywhere he is receiving princely receptions. He will be the next governor of New York without a doubt.

ONE SUICIDE leads to others. Mrs. Chase committed suicide by drowning in the canal and another lady thought she would take a dip and if she found it agreeable she also would drift "to the other side of Jordan." But she didn't like the chilling sensation.

WHICH is the better of those two propositions made by the New England Construction company in regard to the reduction of garbage? Either or neither? Is this the New England Construction company that failed up on the St. Peter's church contract and left Rev. Fr. Ronan in the lurch?

THE GLOBE is coming out with new sea serpent stories. The public will feel interested to know whether this is the same serpent that was caught at the Cape and subjected to such a rigid cross-examination by a Globe reporter that it retreated to its native element five hours after having been killed.

THE CITIZEN wastes a good deal of space in a futile attempt to show that Mr. Fifield's letter of acceptance does not accord with the democratic platform because a certain sentence therein does not agree with President Cleveland's letter to Wilson. That is a good specimen of the Citizen's logic. Mr. Fifield's letter is strictly in accord with the democratic platform and with the policy of the democratic party at the present time; and the fact that it does not agree with something which can in no sense be construed as a part of that platform is of no significance.

THE Rev. A. P. A. Dunn crawls out of the challenge addressed to him by Rev. Fr. O'Brien. He says the question whether Catholics can be loyal to their church and their country at the same time must be settled by the public and not by any commission or body of men however learned or by whomsoever appointed. Rev. Fr. O'Brien stands ready to pay $1500 to have a debate with the A. P. A. leaders on the question but they are shrinking from the ordeal with characteristic cowardice. They realize the weakness of their cause but still they keep on shouting the old charges knowing full well that not one of them is susceptible of proof.

NEITHER THE republican press nor Mr. Knox himself has shown any reason why Fifield should not be elected to congress. Mr. Stevens was so highly honored in congress that he was called "senator." Mr. Fifield from his prominence as a manufacturer is equally well qualified to perform the duties of congressman very efficiently and with entire satisfaction to the district. It is not lawyers, or stock brokers that are needed to look after the interests of the country. It is only rogues and knaves that make lawyers a necessity. Let us hope they are not needed in congress. They certainly are not needed on the democratic side and as for the republican side they might be needed but the democratic lawyers will have time to look after all miscreants.

If the democrats had any real campaign material they would not exhibit so much fear of the A.P.A. The space and time they are wasting about that organization is proof that they are short of everything else.—Morning Mail.

The Apaphobian order is the special and exclusive protege of the Mail of course, and none of the other papers have any right to breathe its sacred name.

THE JOINT debate of all political parties in Haverhill was more amusing than instructive. The advocates of the several parties chiefly assailed the other parties, so that the whole was little less than an oratorical symposium in which each speaker contradicted all the others and assumed without proof that he was right.

HENRY HAMER recommends that Girard P. Dadman be driven out of the public service to seek work in the sphere most suitable and adapted to his qualifications. The matter of dropping officials is usually accomplished at the municipal election in December.

PETER A. FAY, Esq., has now an opportunity to "tear out" the county ring. He will wake up the farmers. There should be a democrat on the commission.

SINCE its brutal designation of Councilman O'Brien, the Vox is suffering from rickets. This is a disease that usually precedes final dissolution.

THE FALL River mills are to start up today. But for the obstinacy shown on both sides they should have started weeks ago.

At the Top.

Oh, the apple trees up in the orchard!
Like wee chubby faces, I see
The russets and pippins, sly peeping,
Between leaves a-twinkle, at me!
And on the crisp breeze, as I'm longing
In vain for the beauties to drop,
A blithe, haunting song seems to whisper,
"The best fruit is found at the top!"

Oh, the gnarled and mess'd boughs upward tossing!
They cradle me now in their arms,
And outward I gaze on the orchard,
The river, the uplands and farms.
So, gazing, far, far out from childhood,
That blithe, breezy song ne'er will stop.
Fame, station, are won but by climbing.
"The best fruit is found at the top!"

—George Cooper in Detroit Free Press.

How to Make School Cake.

Beat together until foamy the yolk of an egg, a cupful of white sugar, a piece of butter the size of an egg. Add a cupful of sweet milk, a pint of flour into which has been sifted 2 teaspoonfuls of baking powder and the beaten white of the egg. Flavor with lemon or vanilla. Butter a piece of white paper and put in the bottom of cake pan. Bake in a hot oven.

How to Make a Rag Doll.

A rag doll can be as large and plump as an 8-months-old baby. Take an old ribbed wool shirt, a pair of mittens and a pair of infant's knees leggings, such as baby wears first; then get some cotton batting and stuff tightly into the leggings, the shirt and the mittens. Make a round ball of the batting, covered with muslin, for the head; then sew the parts together as shown in the cut. Paint two blue eyes, a rosebud mouth and a tiny nose on one side of the round head; then put on a baby's cap and dress the dolly in some of baby's castoff clothes. You will then have a very durable doll, and one that will stand more nonsense than a real baby.

When the Struggle Will End.

They may try professors like Ely for heresy, break the backbone of a strike by the unconstitutional introduction of the military power, as in Chicago, distort law to deprive men of their natural and acquired rights, endeavor to adjust a controversy when one party to it is already hors de combat, or men may be incarcerated in jails by sycophantic judges, the educational factors are at work, organized labor is at the helm, and there can be no end to all this turmoil until educated ignorance is dispelled by the living issue perforce presented by the rough yet noble struggle of organized labor for right and justice to itself and all mankind.—Samuel Gompers.

THE ONWARD MARCH

of Consumption is stopped short by Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. If you haven't waited beyond reason, there's complete recovery and cure. In those scrofulous conditions of the blood which invite Consumption; in severe, lingering Coughs, and Weak Lungs, this medicine is a *proved* remedy.

MISS M. H. SNEED.

Mrs. SARAH S. SNEED, of Clio, Iredell Co., N. C., writes: "My daughter was first attacked with pneumonia and pleurisy in very bad form and was then taken with a very bad cough, which kept growing worse and worse, until finally it seemed as though she had consumption very bad. The physicians prescribed Cod liver oil, but to no benefit. I procured two bottles of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery and she grew better. She hasn't felt any return of lung disease in over twelve months. She was nothing but a skeleton when she took the first dose, and to-day she weighs 135 pounds."

Your Wedding Gifts.

Can be selected at our store just now with the assurance that you will get some rich and rare things direct from the big metropolitan market, selected with great care by Mr. F. W. Puffer of our firm, who has just returned from New York. The goods have just been unpacked, and many of them are handsome novelties. The prices are cut to suit the times. You can look at them even if you do not buy.

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245 Central Street.

MR. WILSON IN ENGLAND.

POINTS FROM HIS SPEECH MADE AT THE LONDON BANQUET.

Has Faith In the Permanent Freedom of the United States—Britons Do Not Rejoice at the Prospect of American Competition In the World's Trade.

If the facts narrated in the news columns of the papers that Mr. Wilson, chairman of the ways and means committee, had sought recuperation in an ocean trip and had been tendered a banquet by the London Chamber of Commerce and had made some remarks there in response to a toast; if these facts had, we say, escaped the notice of the readers of Republican papers when they appeared in the news items, the dextrous and versatile commentators on events in the editorial columns have fully acquainted them with them.

They, the unfortunate readers, have been told that it was eminently proper that Mr. Wilson should fly to England as soon as the tariff act was a law to receive the thanks of the only people he had served, and it was most fitting that they should receive him with open arms and fete and toast him as they would any other gentleman who had rendered them a distinguished and profitable service.

Governor McKinley has followed his editorial leaders with remarks to his audiences in the same strain, and the affair rises into one of international import and one of prime political or partisan importance. Much is made of minor matters in times of political stress, and the attention given this dinner is another gauge of the paucity of resources to which the exponents of the once g. o. p. are reduced.

Mr. Wilson made two points in his speech that are worthy, the one of the attention of our people, the other of those whose representatives he addressed. "We are being rapidly sobered," he said, "by the truth forced upon us that of all human governments a free government is the most complex, and judging from the world's experience the most uncertain and short lived."

For this he has been severely criticised by his opponents in the press and on the stump. But Mr. Wilson was amply justified in his observation. He had just come from a prolonged and but partially successful struggle with baneful and selfish trusts which had fastened themselves on the government and swerved its powers to their gain.

In actual conflict with the trusts he had found them, as he says, "able to defy the law and use the wealth they drew from sharing in the power of taxation to increase their privileges, debauch elections and corrupt legislation." How can a republic stand when such is the case? How can we say that it is a republic, a free country, where such conditions exist? It is true, as he says, that this exposition of the power of the trusts and monopolists, craftily gained while the attention of the people was diverted, has rapidly sobered the people to a sense of their danger and the dangers to their institutions and aroused them to the overthrow of their enemies. It is the confidence in this feeling of the people that made Mr. Wilson say that, complex and difficult as is the administration of the affairs of a republic and short lived as others have been, freedom here will not perish, and that "while other nations have been great in war, commerce, science, etc., we can be great in all and great in the greatness of permanent freedom."

Mr. Wilson said nothing that his auditors had not known and thought of long ago when he warned them of the contest for the trade of the world which they would have to meet when this country shall have removed the barriers it has raised between her own manufacturers and the world's markets with her absurd tariff acts and enabled them to enter foreign markets on equal terms with her greatest competitor. When our capacity to produce, now equal to all our needs in six months of activity, shall be fully occupied in making the things we and the world want, England will have to look to her laurels of trade and commerce, or they will be transferred to the brows of Uncle Sam. It was this certainty of the future when we reach free trade that impelled Mr. Wilson to tell his audience that "I fear I cannot ask you to rejoice at its adoption except as you may prefer right principles to selfish advantage."

It is 12 years ago now that Joseph Medill, then and now the editor in chief of the Chicago Tribune, after his return from a trip to England, delivered an address to the farmers of Illinois in which he predicted the same result from free trade that Mr. Wilson did and said in conversation with English manufacturers they told him that they dreaded the day when American manufacturers would be permitted by their laws to enter into competition with them in the world's markets. They were well content with our policy, which restricted our waves almost exclusively to our home market and left them not only their own, but the markets of the rest of the producing world.—St. Paul Globe.

Planters and the Sugar Bounty.

If the sugar bounty had not been abolished, it would this year have amounted to $22,000,000. Next year it would have been $40,000,000, and there would have been a continual increase. No wonder the planters' moral sense has been somewhat blunted. The temptation is no small one.—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

Funereal Suggestions.

The full name of the Republican nominee for Governor of Connecticut is Orpheus Vincent Coffin. It is suggestive of an old fashioned Republican funeral. —New York Mercury.

But He'll Finish Second.

Whatever the result may be in New York, Platt will give Morton a good run for his money.—Philadelphia Times.

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A RAT SAVED HIS LIFE.

IT ACTED AS MESSENGER FOR AN ENTOMBED MINER.

Imprisoned by a Cave-in, Tim Morrissey Would Never Again Have Seen the Light of Day If the Little Rodent Had Not Brought a Rescue.

The rats in the coal mines of Pennsylvania are regarded by all old miners with the greatest affection. These mine rats are the forerunners of the coming danger. When they scamper excitedly through the black chamber, toward the shaft, the collier, toiling alone 1,000 feet below the surface, instantly quits work and joins in their flight, for he knows that something has given away overhead. Many a miner's life has been saved by these generally despised animals.

Squire Tim Morrissey is an old time miner in Wilkesbarre, Pa., whose headquarters on the main thoroughfare that divides that part of the town known as Whisky Hill is a favorite rendezvous of the veteran colliers. The other night Jim told a remarkable story of how his life was saved by one of these mine rats. A squeeze had occurred in the second level of the mine, 600 feet below the surface, and the top rock had killed two men—Bill Thomas and Mike Phelan. Morrissey was sent down by the superintendent to investigate. He went down the shaft in the carriage and signaled to be let off at the second level.

"I was alone, and nobody knew I was goin in there," said Morrissey. "Well, I went along the gangway, chirpin to the rats, who followed me as if glad to see somebody, for no one had been in since the crash that killed the men. When I got to the rock, I crawled around and finally found a place big enough to creep through, and in I went, comin out in the chamber on the other side. When I came to the breast, 40 foot away, I hold my lamp and began to examine the surroundin's.

"I was lookin at the top wall, not more'n ten foot from the breast, when suddenly down comes a mass of rock with a thunderin crash that nearly stunned me. I realized the horror of the situation in a minute. I knew I was shut in that chamber a quarter of a mile from the shaft.

"There wasn't a soul knew even that I was in there. The possibility of suffocation rose in my mind, and I made an examination. There was quite a stream runnin across the bottom from the face of the breast, and this cheered me with the thought that some air would get in. Besides I soon discovered that the mass was so jungled up that it was likely that considerable air could get through it, and these things satisfied me that I wouldn't be smothered. After lookin about I found I was hemmed into a space not more'n 26 foot square. I looked at my watch and found it was 8 o'clock, the hour the day shift went in above me and below.

"It must have been three hours that I was in there thinkin, and then I heard a little noise close by. A minute later I felt somethin rubbin agin one of my legs. I put my hand down, and, true as you live, it was a rat. I picked him up and held him till I lit my lamp. He seemed about as glad to see me as I was to see him. I tell you, lads, the companionship of the big rat at that time, down in that lonely place, was as sweet to me as the comin of an angel would have been.

"I smoothed his back and fondled him as if he was one of my own babies.

"Suddenly an idea struck me. Maybe the rat had come from somewhere low. Maybe he had a runway to the lower level. That thought cheered me. I opened my lunch can and gave him somethin to eat. Then I took out a passbook I had in my pocket and wrote this on one of the leaves: 'I'm hemmed in in Brennan's chamber, second level. Come quick. Morrissey.' I rolled the message up in a little ball, and with a bit of thread I managed to fasten it around the rat's neck. Then I petted him, and goin close to the breast found a little hole which I thought he might have come out of.

"Then I set him free. Boys, I never shall forget the wise look he turned on me that instant. He seemed to know what was wanted. I sat down again, blew out the lamp and waited.

"Say, lads, somehow my heart was lighter after the rat had gone. Somethin told me he would save me. What with thinkin of home and the babies and hoping that somebody would find the note the rat took out, the hours passed by until I grew hungry. I lit my lamp agin and ate very sparin'ly. I glanced at my watch and found it was nearly 5 o'clock. I had been in the horrible place nine hours. That startled me. I began to lose hope as to the result of the rat's mission. Then suddenly I heard a noise, and quickly I lifted the lamp, and down at my feet was my old friend, the rat, who had taken my message out. As he came close up I noticed a thread runnin from his neck back to the hole he came out of. I broke it off, and, joy of joys, I began pullin it up. Yard after yard there was until the thread grew thicker, and upon examinin it close I found it was a lamp wick soaked with oil.

"I hauled away at the wick until it made quite a pile in front of me. At last the end was reached, and on it was a little ball of tin foil. I opened it carefully and found this note scrawled on a bit of paper:

"'Jim—Be easy. Big party of rescuers are at work. Hard job, but will reach you. Keep your courage. Use oil on wick. Brennan.'

"There's one or two of the old men here who remember what followed—how it took two long days and nights to dig through the mass of rock and coal that lay between me and safety; how finally the boys reached me, and I was taken out alive and well.

"But I stuck to my little friend, and he stuck to me. Wife fairly loved him, while strangers passin the door wondered why the babies played so long and joyfully with such a horrible thing as a rat. But the babies knew, and so did the neighbors. They named him Dick, after Dick Brennan."—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

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The Lily and the Poet.

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Of midday summer sun.
It chanced a poet, passing by,
Upon the lily cast his eye.
His sympathy it won.

"Poor little flower," he, pitying, said,
"Who left thee thus with drooping head
Beneath a burning sky?
Ah, me! It was a thoughtless deed
To cast thee forth, like common weed,
To wither and to die—

"Away from cool and grateful shade
Of garden bed or mossy glade,
Where erstwhile thou didst bloom.
My heart with pity bleeds for thee,
Thus treated so despitefully
And left to such a doom.

"The lily is the spotless flower,
The emblem of the priceless dower
Of purity of heart.
King Solomon, in all his power,
Was not arrayed like thee, sweet flower,
Thou work of nature's art.

"I cannot leave thee in thy need,
Amidst the dust to pant and bleed;
I cannot leave thee so.
Close by there lies a lovely mere,
Whose sparkling waters, bright and clear,
O'er waterlilies flow.

"Upon its cool, refreshing breast
I'll lay thee gently down to rest
And banish all thy pain.
The water sprites will change thy shape,
And as a lily of the lake
Thou yet shalt bloom again."

—C. M. A. in Academy

Not Plain.

She was speaking of her family.

"Papa," she observed, "is a very hardworking man."

He started from his seat.

"In that case"——

He paced the floor nervously.

——"I guess I'd better strike somebody else for that $5 I've got to have."

Muttering incoherently, he left the house.—Detroit Tribune.

Armless Wonders.

Instances are numerous of persons who, born without arms, learned to use their feet as hands. Bulwer, in "The Artificial Changeling," tells of John Simonds, a native of Berkshire, who was born armless, but who could write with his mouth, thread a needle with his toe, tie a knot, play cards and do almost anything else that another person usually does with his fingers.

An Illustration.

"Do you think," said the intellectual young woman, "that there is any truth in the theory that big creatures are better natured than small ones?"

"Yes," answered the young man, "I do. Look at the difference between the Jersey mosquito and the Jersey cow."—Life.

Unreasonable.

"I hate you," she cried violently.

"Then I am discovered," he groaned.

He staggered toward the door.

"I had hoped," he gasped, "that she might not find out I am the umpire."

He felt that he could not rationally question her aversion.—Detroit Tribune.

A Hopeless Undertaking.

"The United States army is the only one in which there never is any mutiny."

"No wonder. Is it likely that one private would mutiny against so many officers?"—Kate Field's Washington.

A Prisoner in Bed.

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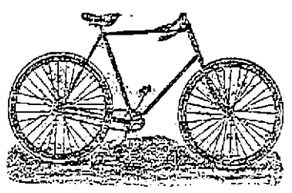

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KILLED BY TRAIN

Fatal Accident On a Grade Crossing.

WOMEN AND CHILDREN STRUCK BY ENGINE.

Bodies Carried a Long Distance On Pilot.

BUFFALO, Oct. 15.—Dorothy, aged 11, and Emily, aged 5, daughters of John N. Scatcherd, and Miss Emily B. S. Woods, aged 30, sister-in-law of Mr. Scatcherd, were struck and killed by a freight engine on the New York Central belt line at the Parkside crossing yesterday afternoon.

Early in the afternoon Miss Woods, who lived with Mr. Scatcherd's family, had one of Mr. Scatcherd's spirited horses hitched up and took the two little girls out to call on a friend, Mrs. Ball. The party reached their destination in safety and spent an hour with the Ball family. When they started to return, the wind had grown very cold and curtains were placed on the buggy.

They drove down Depew avenue to Parkside avenue, and then made a short turn to cross the belt line. The wind was blowing a gale from the northwest, and a heavy freight train was coming from the east. The train was drawn by a big mogul engine. It is probable that Miss Woods did not hear the train, and it is certain that she could not see it, because of the side on the buggy.

Just as the buggy was on the track the great engine struck it. The horse was instantly killed and tossed to one side. The box of the buggy stood the shock and remained on the pilot. Before the engineer could stop the engine the train had reached Colvin street, which is about a quarter of a mile from Parkside. The buggy box remained on the pilot during all the distance. When the train was finally stopped the woman and the two little girls were found in the bottom of the box in

A Sickening, Bloody Pile.

The engineer summoned help and the buggy box was lifted from the pilot. Dorothy, the 11-year-old girl, was dead. She was on the side nearest the engine and received the full force of the blow. Miss Woods and little Emily were unconscious. Doctors were summoned from all directions. It was found that all three had been hit on the left side of the head and that all three had their skulls fractured.

Little Emily died in about two hours after removal to the Glenny house. Miss Woods was taken to the general hospital. She died shortly afterward.

The crossing is a dangerous one. There is no flagman there. This portion of the city is newly built up, and there are not many houses in the vicinity. The engineer claims that he blew his whistle and rang his bell and reversed his engine, but was unable to stop until he reached Colvin street. This story is corroborated by a boy who saw the accident.

Mr. Scatcherd, who was at the Country club, not far from the scene of the accident at the time it occurred, is prostrated. Mrs. Scatcherd is visiting in Simcoe, Ont., and has not been notified of her bereavement. There are two other children, a boy and a girl.

May Be the Laura V. Rose.

EDGARTOWN, Mass., Oct. 15.—Fishing smack Emma, from Nantucket shoals, reports a sunken schooner about 11 miles east by south from Sankaty Head, Nantucket. About 14 miles off shore in the same direction was found the top of the vessel's house. Near the top of the house was picked up a small sea chest, containing underwear marked "Leeds" and "J. H. L." It is thought to have belonged to Captain Leeds of schooner Laura V. Rose.

The Latest Concerning the Czar.

BERLIN, Oct. 15.—According to The Lokal Anzeiger, a Vienna physician, who is fully informed by St. Petersburg doctors, states that the diagnosis of the czar's complaint wavers between cancer in the renal region and inflammation of the kidneys. All the doctors, however, agree that the end will be neither speedy nor sudden, but that death will come after a gradual decline.

Mormon Missionaries Roughly Handled.

CENTERTOWN, N. Y., Oct. 15.—Elders Freeman and Mercer, Mormon missionaries, who have converted 50 people in this vicinity, mostly women, to their faith, were visited by a party of indignant citizens and given a coat of tar and feathers. The two were then ordered to leave at once, which they promised to do.

Honors Even.

CHRISTIANIA, Oct. 15.—A final count shows that the Radicals polled 8239 to the Conservatives 8969. Each party will send four members to the storthing. The returns from the country are incomplete, but the figures received show that neither party will obtain a decisive majority in the new storthing.

Honors For Church Dignitaries.

ROME, Oct. 15.—At the next papal consistory, which will be held before Christmas, several cardinals will be appointed. Among those who will receive the red hat are Mgr. Jacobini, archbishop of Tyre and papal nuncio to Portugal; Mgr. Critoni, nuncio to Spain, and Mgr. Fausti, the papal auditor.

Kaffirs Growing Bolder.

LOURENZO MARQUEZ, Oct. 15.—The rebellious Kaffirs attacked this town yesterday, but were repulsed. The government of the Transvaal have offered to assist the Portuguese against the Kaffirs. The proposed co-operation is regarded with suspicion as an infringement of British suzerainty.

A Missing Girl.

NEW HAVEN, Oct. 15.—Mary Conrad of East street, this city, has been missing from home for a week. The girl is but 12 years old and was disciplined by her parents for some fault, since which she has not been seen.

Will Get Old Wages.

NORTH ADAMS, Mass., Oct. 15.—A restoration of a 10 per cent cut in wages has been made by the Blackinton Woolen company at Blackinton. The increase goes into effect today.

Germany's Part.

BERLIN, Oct. 15.—Germany's refusal to interfere in the Chinese-Japanese troubles does not affect the question of protection to Europeans in China, in which she will fully co-operate. The German commander in Chinese waters has already been authorized to dispatch a small body of marines to protect the legation at Pekin.

Why Not.

If you are economizing why not look over your printing bills and see if you are not paying too much for printing. Call at this office and get prices on your work, and see if we cannot save money for you.

ENGINEER'S ERROR

Caused a Serious Wreck In Which Many Lives Were Jeopardized.

NEW ORLEANS, Oct. 15. — Engineer Simpson of the East Louisiana railroad is responsible for a frightful accident that occurred yesterday at the crossing of the Louisville and Nashville and Northeastern railroads, about two miles from where the Louisville and Nashville road leaves Elysian Fields street, an accident that will, in all probability, result in at least one fatality, while a score of passengers on the Louisville and Nashville road were severely injured.

The Louisville and Nashville "Across the Lake" excursion train of eight coaches, well loaded, a large proportion being women and children, pulled out on time.

The east Louisiana train, carrying excursionists to points in St. Tammany parish, was booming along its tracks, and with a shrill shriek from its whistle for down brakes it crashed into the sixth coach of the Louisville and Nashville train. The collision threw a crowded coach completely into the ditch. The greatest indignation and anger prevailed among the witnesses of the collision against Engineer Simpson. Simpson escaped to the swamp. News was brought to this city of the accident and a special train was dispatched so convey the injured to the city.

Engineer Simpson was subsequently arrested. The property loss is about $40,000.

GAVE A FICTITIOUS NAME.

It Probably Saved Warren Coon From Being Kidnapped "For Keeps."

NEWTON, Mass., Oct. 15.—Sixteen-year-old Warren Coon, son of Rev. G. W. Coon of Lowell street, Newtonville, was returning from the Newton public library. When he had reached the corner of Billerica street and Newton avenue a hack drove up and an unknown man jumped out.

The latter asked the boy if he did not want a ride, and before he could answer the man deliberately threw him into the carriage. Then the stranger also got in, the curtains were drawn, and the driver whipped up his horses.

Young Coon was badly scared, and for some time neither he nor the man spoke a word. Finally the stranger asked the boy his name, and the latter, shrewdly deciding that it would be unwise to give his right name, replied that it was Thomas Ryan. The man then said: "You're not the one I want. Get out," at the same time shoving him from the hack. The boy found himself on Oak street, Newton Upper Falls, nearly three miles from where he was put into the carriage.

The man is described as about 38 years of age, with very dark complexion, and heavy dark mustache. No motive has been found for the attempted abduction.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

Ambassador Bayard has arrived in Washington.

The Burnside postoffice at East Hartford was robbed.

Reports of Boston national banks show improving business.

General Harrison has returned home after a campaign tour.

A Jay Gould memorial church at Roxbury, N. Y., was dedicated.

The president has not requested cabinet officers not to make campaign speeches.

William C. Clark was nominated for mayor by the Republicans of Manchester, N. H.

Emperor William arrived at Kronenberg on a visit to his mother, Empress Frederick.

The imperial palace at Pekin is divided by factions, one contending for peace, the other for war.

A memorial statue of Canada's late premier, Sir John Macdonald, was unveiled at Toronto.

Colonel Breckinridge's church in Kentucky suspended him from the sacraments until Feb. 1, 1895.

Canadian workmen in Ottawa are terribly exercised over the enforcement of the United States alien law.

The River Spinning Mill company at Woonsocket, R. I., is charged with violating the contract labor law.

Frank Ash, Jr., aged 27, jumped from a freight train at Westfield, Mass., fell on his head and fractured his skull.

Salmon A. Granger has been nominated for senator by the Democrats of the Eighteenth Connecticut senatorial district.

At Athol, Mass., S. W. Cushing was arrested charged with stealing from his employer. Cushing owned up everything.

Patrick Coffey of New Britain, Conn., 36 years old, was killed by being struck by a passenger engine near Parkville, Conn.

Mgr. Satolli has gone to Canada to settle a misunderstanding between Cardinal Taschereau and the civil authorities of Montreal.

The Dominion government has abolished the rebate on spruce logs for paper pulp and imposes a uniform rate of 40 cents a cord.

The superintendent and matron of the Kansas deaf and dumb asylum made affidavit that Mrs. Lucy Lease urged them to steal from the state.

Masons of high degree from all over Connecticut attended the funeral of Grand Secretary Wheeler of the grand lodge of Masons at Hartford.

The first anniversary of the Hudson (Mass.) Y. M. C. A. was observed by a largely attended meeting in the Baptist church in that town.

Henry Penfield, assistant manager of the Crawford shoe store in Hartford, has confessed that he fixed up the job of burglary at the store to cover up a series of thefts.

Dartmouth medical students drew up appropriate resolutions on the death of Oliver Wendell Holmes, who was at one time professor of anatomy in Dartmouth Medical college.

The third anniversary of the Framingham (Mass.) Y. M. C. A. was observed by appropriate union services in the villages of Framingham Centre, Saxonville and South Framingham.

At Manchester, N. H., there was a beautiful procession of 6000 school children, each equipped with a United States flag. The public and parochial pupils marched together.

John and Stephen Delaney, brothers, fought at their home in Bridgeport, Conn. Steven stabbed John twice in the arm and once in the left breast, penetrating the lung. The wound is dangerous.

The town of Middleboro, Mass., has voted that the selectmen be authorized to contract with the Massachusetts highway commission to build that portion of the state highway which the state proposes to build in the town this year.

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FACTS ON LABOR CO-OPERATION.

Antwerp's Profit Sharing Unions of Longshoremen.

The Men Who do the Actual Labor Control the Business, and There Are No "Capitalists" to Be Paid For Their "Investment"—Efficiency Assured.

Professor James H. Gore, commissioner general for the United States to the International exposition at Antwerp, has written for the September number of Forum a most interesting contribution on "The Profit Sharing Labor Unions of Antwerp." After opening with a general statement on labor in European countries Mr. Gore gives the following interesting account of the Antwerp longshoremen's "nations:"

By the enactment of laws favorable to the free importation of foreign wares Antwerp early in the fifteenth century became an important port, as can be learned from the reports of the embassies sent by various courts to attend the regal festivities which frequently took place there. But the delays in discharging vessels and the frequent loss to merchandise from unskillful handling threatened to outweigh beneficent legislation and advantageous position. The dockhands and porters became careless, in the belief that plenty of work would always await them, but an awakening came when some of the united traders erected buildings of their own, where they could not only store their goods, but house their workmen and horses as well. Two of these structures are still standing—the Maison Hanseatique and the Maison de Hesse. The result of the awaking of the laborers to a proper apprehension of the danger of the loss of work and the consciousness that sooner or later it would fall into the hands of strangers was the establishment, in 1442, of a company of longshoremen, who assumed the name "Les Grecs," a name which, with merely those changes incident to change of language, the society has borne from that year to the present time. This was the first of the 50 "nations" now in active existence at Antwerp.

A "nation" is a corporation of workmen, forming a limited society, in which every member is also a stockholder. The society is not only limited in membership, but it is restricted also in functions. First of all, the "nations" work only at the docks, loading or unloading vessels or hauling merchandise to or from ships; secondly, each "nation" will handle only certain articles of commerce, and, again, only those articles which come from or are destined for a certain port. For example, the "Katven nation" will unload wool that comes from Buenos Ayres, but a vessel charged with wool from Australia can secure the services only of the "Zuid nation." One "nation" puts on board ordinary Belgian sugar, but if the sugar is specially refined and intended for candy its loading is the work of another "nation." The underlying principle of this elaborate differentiation of labor is that a society with restricted lines of work can become especially proficient in those lines, can acquire the best implements and appliances for their performance and thus give to their employers the best possible service. In no instance has this monopoly given an excuse for extortionate charges or forcible increase of prices.

Every one of these societies, upon its organization, must give bond to abide by the regulations prepared by the port officers, and a special rule fixes for a term of years—usually 10—the tariff of charges, and any attempt to violate this rule would result in an immediate abrogation of the society's privileges. On the other hand, every vessel entering port is obliged to employ the appropriate society, but this compulsion is evidently in the best interests of shippers, as can be seen from what follows as well as from the fact that the maritime trade of Antwerp is increasing at the rate of 100,000 tons per year. Every "nation" is a stock company, but no one can hold stock who is not an active working member. As a member he obeys implicitly the orders of his superiors and profits by his own labors as well as by the labors of his associates.

The officers are a dean and as many assistant deans as may be necessary, there being one dean in the smaller societies of 20 or 30 members, and two or three in those of 50 or 60, and a secretary and such additional officers as are found essential in each society. They are elected annually and are eligible for re-election, but serve without extra compensation. Every organization has its own bylaws; but, since they are not published and dismissal would be the penalty of their promulgation, very little is known about them. The "nations," however, appear to be very wisely governed regarding the duties and obligations of the members to one another, for it is known that fines are imposed for certain offenses. For instance, if a member fails to report each morning, unless sick, he pays 80 cents. If the absence occurs twice within a month, the fine is $2, while the next repetition would result in dismissal. Again, if one member summons another, against his will, as a witness, he must pay an honorarium of $4 for every day, and the same amount is demanded in case one member causes the arrest of a colleague.

The nearest approach to an authentic financial statement is obtained from the decennial report which each "nation" must submit to the local authorities showing its nominal assets and liabilities. From the accounts rendered in 1890 it is seen that the richest "nation" had a capital of $180,000, divided into shares of $6,000 each, and the next richest had a capital of $168,000, divided into shares of $4,000. Of the actual assets the world at large knows nothing except that they consist of a number of magnificent draft horses (perhaps the best in the world), wagons, stables and such appliances as are needed in their work. The Belgian law requiring every firm and corporation to file a balance sheet annually does not apply to the "nations," because they have no standing in the local courts. In their articles of incorporation they bind themselves to submit all differences between themselves and their employers to arbitration. Yielding their right to sue, they become exempt from being sued.

The outward workings of a "nation" resemble somewhat a patriarchal form of government. On every workday morning all the members who are able assemble at headquarters half an hour before time to begin work and receive assignments for the day. This allotment of tasks is made by the dean and is not subject to open criticism or refusal, but he is doubtless guided by a knowledge of every man's special fitness or some consideration of his recent labors. Those for whom there is no work have the day free without suffering any diminution in their share of the society's profits, but they are not allowed to hire themselves to others, the idea being that they keep themselves fresh for the probable duties of the morrow. In the evening those who were occupied report at the office, and a record is made by the secretary of the place and of the character of the work rather as a check upon the work than upon the workmen. When the task is finished, the dean collects the entire amount due the society and places it in bank as a part of the general fund. At the end of the month the net receipts are equally divided among the members, regardless of the number of idle or employed days of each. Usually there is a maximum limit to the sum paid to each member for his share of the month's profits—that is to say, if the receipts would justify a larger dividend, he would receive only $80, the overplus remaining in the general fund to help over those months when the earnings are less. Likewise those who are unable to work because of sickness or injury received in the discharge of duty fare equally with the others. This benefit, however, is restricted to a definite number of months, usually four.

The "nations" sustain individually—or collectively in some cases—orphan asylums for the maintenance of the children of those who die from illness contracted or injury received while engaged at work. As the number of accidents is large and the lives of men engaged in such heavy work are short, these institutions are always well filled. The city, rightly appreciating the contributions that the "nations" make to the mercantile prosperity of Antwerp, assist in the support of these asylums or in educating their occupants.

When a member dies, his share is sold at auction for the benefit of his heirs. Shares in the more prosperous nations command a premium, according to the condition of the society. In this sale no preference is shown a son of the deceased should he be a bidder. Since no member can own more than one share, there is always an evenly distributed power, with no possibility for control on the part of any one except through the weight of personal influence. And, as each member is also a shareholder, when he looks after his own interests by assiduous and well directed labor he is contributing to the welfare of all. With the increase of work they do not add to their membership and thereby risk a loss or at least a depreciation in the value of their stock in case of any untoward movement in trade, but they employ laborers, thus becoming themselves employers, or rather contractors. Those "nations" that also load vessels have their own expert stevedores as well as their own blacksmith and wagon maker, but in no case are these members.

When a vessel passes Flushing, a telegraphic message is sent to the port officer at Antwerp, giving the approximate size of the ship and the character of her cargo. A place at the dock is at once assigned to the ship, and the appropriate "nation" is notified, so that by the time she takes her place at the dock the men are ready to take her in hand. As soon as the first member of the "nation" places his hand upon the cargo the whole "nation" becomes responsible for it as well as for any damage that the ship may sustain through careless discharging. Thus it is that the largest vessel as well as the tiniest craft can confidently ascend the Scheldt, knowing that no delays await her because of strikes or useless bargaining for reduced rates. It is this confidence, together with other exceptional facilities, that is making Antwerp the first maritime city on the continent of Europe and enables her to handle 14,000 tons of merchandise every day.

Labor Makes Millionaires.

Mr. F. B. Sanborn discussed the relation of American millionaires to our social system in the social science gathering at Saratoga. He gave especial attention to the millionaire situation in the city of Pullman. Mr. Sanborn does not admire Pullman. In his peculiarly pungent style of writing he remarks:

"I had not been an hour there before I was convinced it was nothing but egotism petrified, a brick allegory of the most intense cupidity. Everything there is "facts," as in Dickens' "Hard Times;" everything is toil; everything is gain. There is nothing for amusement nor for gayety. Everybody labors for Pullman & Co. They drink, eat and sleep only for them. Pullman left on me the final impression of a huge mausoleum. Silence, as of death, reigns there. Nowhere is there a smiling or a joyous visage. Even the flower beds have the air of funeral decorations. In reality this town is nothing but a shop where they make millions (une fabrique de millions)."

The burden of Mr. Sanborn's paper, which is very interestingly written, is that the millionaires of America are not alive to the responsibilities to the public that their wealth implies. He states the estimates of millionaires in Chicago to be between 200 and 300, in New York nearly 1,000 and in the whole country about 4,000.

A COWARDLY BLACKLIST.

A "Conservative Newspaper" Aroused by the Villainy of the Railway Barons.

A dispatch from Omaha reveals a blacklist conspiracy among the railway companies that will receive the hearty condemnation of every American citizen who believes in fair play and frank fighting.

Since the strike the railway companies, it appears, have demanded from every applicant for work a "clearance" paper setting forth the cause of his retirement from his last service. This is entirely proper. It is similar to the "recommendations" demanded by most business houses. But instead of furnishing a frank statement to the workman the railway manager gives him what purports to be an honest clearance, but is really a sign that he is not worthy of employment. The trick is carried out by means of an ingenious watermark. The figure of a "sand hill crane" is worked into the blank form used for the clearance. When the head of the crane is missing, the man will not be hired even when the clearance is complimentary.

This unmanly device is used to the destruction of every unfortunate who took part in the strike or who is conspicuous in any of the interdicted unions. It would be hard to adequately characterize the nature of the sneak who invented this code. As for the railway managers who use it, they certainly are guilty of conspiracy and should be punished in court. They are as lawless as the strikers. They are cowardly as well as lawless. They violate the principles of humanity and outrage the rules of fair play among men. When by means of this fraud they take the bread out of the mouths of women and children, they become far less respectable and quite as dangerous to society as the Debs anarchists.

The country is now suffering the penalty of an alliance with the railway companies, enforced by the requirements of good order. They attempt to use this now found friendship as a cloak to cover practices that in other times would not be tolerated. They were given their inch. They take an ell. So serious has their invasion of rights in one direction, through the complacency of the federal bench, become that the most conservative newspaper of America has felt obliged to sternly call a halt.

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One of the best pieces of property at the Highlands, rents for $1000. Will exchange for other property or sell on easy terms.
F. L. RICHARDSON,
Room 2, 56 Central street.

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Good property on Walker street, modern house, barn and plenty of carriage room, about 10,000 feet of land, good chance for improvement.
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Of 7 rooms, hot and cold water, bath, etc., everything finished in good shape. $200 down, easy terms for balance.
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Of 7 rooms on Hastings street, good lot of land, everything first-class, must be sold within 10 days. Price $2600. Terms easy.

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SUN WEATHER BULLETIN.

ALMANAC FOR MONDAY, OCT. 15.
SUN RISES........ 5 57 | MOON RISES .. 5 17 PM
SUN SETS........ 5 02 | FULL SEA ... 11 25 AM, 11 30 PM
LENGTH OF DAY..11 05

Forecast for Maine, New Hampshire and Vermont: Generally fair, with possibly showers in northern portion; brisk and high westerly winds; cooler on the coast.

For Massachusetts, Rhode Island and Connecticut: Generally fair; brisk and high westerly winds; colder.

LOCAL NEWS.

Be joyful and smoke Tower's corner.

Textile Union No. 10 will hold a meeting tonight.

There seems little danger of a shortage of water in the river.

Alderman and Mrs. E. W. Lovejoy have returned from the Adirondacks.

The Rod and Gun club is arranging a fall shoot. It won't be a slaughter of game.

Driver Fred Davis of the patrol has gone moose hunting and partridge bagging in Maine.

A collection was taken up in the Catholic churches yesterday, for the benefit of the orphans.

The International foot ball club will hold a meeting at 78 Bridge street, tomorrow night.

Guy C. Pierce, son of Cassius Pierce, has been elected manager of the Tufts college glee club.

Thomas S. Shaw of Maryville, N. D., formerly of the Tremont & Suffolk mills, is on a visit here.

Ward Clough, the great hunter of Dracut, was a sharpshooter in the war, and has killed his man.

Butler Ames and Arthur S. Coburn played on the Institute of Technology foot ball team Thursday.

It is said that Rev. Claude Raboteau will cease ministerial duties temporarily and travel extensively.

The new trotting association will be a reality. It has been organized to use the North Chelmsford track.

Why not have a chance to buy stamps at the post office on Sunday afternoons for a few minutes?

Merchants week at Manchester came to an end Saturday, with a big and showy parade of 5000 school children.

While there is a scarcity of skilled cotton and woolen weavers in this city there is plenty of mill help available.

Mayor Pickman will preside at a physical department convention at the Newburyport Y. M. C. A., this week.

Electrician Burns has installed another police telegraph box. It is on Fairmount street near Ex-mayor Palmer's house.

The death rate for last week was 20.8, against 20 and 20.6 for the two previous weeks. The total number of deaths was 36.

Joe Dextra has returned from a hunting trip in Maine in time to get out his snow shoes and hustle for the nomination as overseer of the poor in the first ward.

At the masses at St. Patrick's church, yesterday, announcement was made of the opening of the evening schools, and the young people were told of the advantages offered those who are employed in the mills and the chance they have to obtain an education.

Grand Jury This Week.

The grand jury came in at the court house this morning to hear cases for the October term of Superior court. On Wednesday Lowell cases will be heard.

The Burkes Memorial Concert.

The B. T. I. will observe Nov. 10th as Memorial Sunday, and the Y. M. C. I. of Belvidere will be invited to parade on the same occasion. The memorial exercises will be held in the evening.

An Anniversary Concert.

The anniversary committee of Court Wamesit, A. O. F., met yesterday to make arrangements for the celebration of the fourth anniversary on Friday evening, Nov. 16. It was decided to hold a concert and ball in Huntington hall in honor of the event.

Fortunate Escape for the Public.

A chimney on the two story tenement house on Appleton street just above the Presbyterian church collapsed about 8 o'clock last evening and fell with a crash on the roof of the church damaging the slates, and sliding off to the sidewalk. Fortunately no one was passing at the time.

The Oldest Car Driver.

Charles Bryant, who has not yet reached his 40th year, is one of the oldest employes of the street railway company. The late Robert Cunningham was superintendent when Mr. Bryant was appointed a driver of a bob-tail car on the Gorham street route in 1871. Before that time Mr. Bryant had been a driver of tow horses for the company.

Libby Won by a Neck.

There was an interesting 100 yards' race up in the yard of the Lamson Store Service company, Saturday afternoon. Two of the employes, Albert Braden and George Libby have indulged in considerable talk as to each other's racing abilities. A match was made and it came off Saturday in the presence of all the company's employes. Libby won by a neck, but Braden is not yet satisfied and another race is on the tapis.

PRETTY LEONORAH WELCH

Tells More About Her Career Which Came Nearly to an End in the Western Canal Friday Night.

The young and pretty woman who was taken out of the Western canal Friday evening in a drugged state, now gives the name of Leonora Welch of Epping, N. H., She has been married two years. Her maiden name was Thwing.

It appears that she was a headstrong girl who possessed some talent, with a good education. She went on the stage and there met her future husband.

Her marriage did not bring the expected happiness. Her husband did not treat her rightly during the time they lived together, and finally they separated. Mrs. Welch, it appears, returned to her home, which is supposed to have been in Epping, N. H., but she soon went back to the stage.

It appears that her second venture did not prove successful, and adversity in some inexplicable way landed her in Lowell. She states that she formed the acquaintance of a strange woman at the Boston & Maine depot. This stranger invited her to a house on Merrimack street and there treated her to a glass of what she supposed was port wine.

From the time she drank that cordial until dragged out of the canal, Mrs. Welch says she was perfectly oblivious. She does not know whether she jumped in, fell in, or was pushed in. She says she never contemplated suicide nor would ever in her rational moments decide to end her life.

She does not confirm her statement that she was a cashier in the restaurant at the corner of Harrison avenue and Beach street, Boston. She was kindly cared for at the Open Door and this week will be sent home by Mrs. Clark.

Dr. Coburn DENTIST 51 MERK ST.

If nervous, try Old Hundred cigar.

Wall paper at 18 Church street.

J. H. Costello, 37 Davidson st., carpenter.

T. C. Lee, Fire Insurance, Donovan Bl'dg.

Musicians supplies at Downing's, 182 Merrimack street.

Biggest dress goods sale of the year at O'Donnell & Gilbride's.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank E. Dunbar have returned from their wedding trip.

E. A. Wilson, coal dealer, is selling coal at lowest cash prices; call at 51 Merrimack street.

Patten & Co. have the finest potted and cut flowers in the city, Shedd's block, Central street.

Hand-knit worsted goods are the leaders in Moir Bros. & Co., big ad. today. Don't miss reading it.

Don't forget to call and see the mantle and chiffonier beds at J. J. Gaynor & Co.'s, 35 Prescott street.

Mr. C. W. Haley, principal of a school in Haverhill, is a candidate for the principalship of the Lincoln school.

Green is selling pianos cheap this week. A new 7-1-3 octave for $200 worth $275. Green's, 88 Merrimack street.

About one half the Gorham street sewer is constructed, and it is expected the work will be completed within the appropriation.

A true, life-like photo is something everybody admires. Marion makes that kind. Visit his studio in Barristers' hall and have a sitting made.

The wedding of Mr. William D. Large and Miss Adina Baynon is announced to occur at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. John J. Mabon, 317 Bridge street, October 17.

The chairmen and secretaries of the democratic city and town committees of the state met at the Tremont house in Boston, Saturday, and talked over the situation in their respective cities.

Mr. and Mrs. James Walmsley of Schaffer street observed the third anniversary of their marriage Friday night. They entertained a party of their friends, and several living pictures were produced.

John McMaster entertained the Highland tennis club, at his home in Westford, Friday evening. A husking bee was held and 42 bushels of corn were husked. Refreshments were served and an entertainment followed.

They say: "Everything goes when the wheel turns 'round." If this is true that wheel would have to hum if it was required to make one revolution for every bottle of Rochester beer that is sold by the Golden Sheaf daily, for the sales are becoming enormous.

Joe Hibbard opened his fall and winter Saturday night socials in Wells' dancing academy, and although the weather was decidedly unpleasant, the attendance was quite large and gave promise of a successful season. Joe's orchestra furnished music and dancing was enjoyed until 11.30 o'clock.

Single Day Record Broken.

With 41 arrests on Saturday the single day's booking at the keeper's window in the station house was broken.

Bazaar Profits Were $6000.

It was announced at the masses in the Immaculate Conception church, yesterday, that the profits of the recent bazaar amounted to over $6000.

Work Rushing at Carpet Mill.

The Carpet company's mill is being rushed to fill the orders for carpets. The daily output is 5000 yds of Brussels and Miltons and 10,000 yards of ingrains.

Lowell Boys Were Winners.

The high school foot ball team met and defeated the McGaw institute team at Reed's Ferry, N. H., Saturday, 20 to 0. The Lowell boys played a fast and steady game.

Lawyer Cowley Fined $100.

A Boston dispatch says that Lawyer Charles Cowley of this city has been fined $100 on one count against him for demanding illegal pension fees, by Judge Nelson in the U. S. court.

Rescued By A Boat.

A large gang of workmen employed by the Locks & Canals were engaged in working upon the rocks, in the Merrimack river near the island, Saturday. The water rose so rapidly that when they attempted to go ashore, it could not be forded. It was necessary to get a boat and progress was made slowly owing to the swift current.

ROW AT A WEDDING.

Two Poles Who Were Hiding Taken Into Custody as the Assailants.

A wedding occurred on Williams street, Saturday night, in which the contracting parties were Poles, Belgians, or some other kind of foreigners, and during its progress a bloody fight occurred. Officer Hickson heard of the trouble immediately after the start, and as he arrived on the scene the fighters transferred the scrimmage to the street. Special Officer Chase of the Boston & Maine depot had arrested Felix Burke, who was badly cut about the head. Later on Officer Hickson accompanied by Sergt. Kew searched the house and found Hendrisk Dymski and John Nowoski hiding in the cellar. Both were arrested.

PERCY J. LYNCH,

The Famous Aquatic Reporter of the Mail, Turns Hero and Emulates Grace Darling in the Rescue of Sailors.

Two foolhardy Frechmen went out in a sail boat on the upper river yesterday. A reefing breeze was bowling down the river, which kicked up the river into a miniature sea. On the open stretch of river from Pickering's to North Chelmsford the river was very rough, and it was just above Pickering's that the amateur sailors came near ending their lives. They were struck by a squall and capsized.

Their perilous position was seen from the boulevard and people ran up the road until opposite a small pleasure boat, which under lee of the shore was being pulled up river. The solitary oarsman was Percy J. Lynch of the Mail. He was made to understand what was wanted of him, and so he rowed back to the submerged sail boat and one by one took off the nearly drowned men.

Percy has more than a local reputation as a society man, long distance swimmer, oarsman and dancer, but this last performance deserves great credit, for it is no easy job to pick up drowning men during a gale. When the history of Lowell shall be written no mention will be made here of a Grace Darling, but P. J. Lynch's name should be handed down to posterity.

The moral of the story to Lowell boys is, let sail boats alone in a piping breeze, if you can't swim.

Louis Alexander,

Importer and tailor, 63 Central street, is a first class practical cutter of long experience in fine New York houses. Is up with the times and guarantees satisfaction. Fall importations now ready.

Your Eye Is a Seer,

But not a prophet. Prices like the rest of our business—popular. Popular teas and coffees promote prosperity. Let ours help you to success. There is only one 68 Merrimack street, and that is over the door of Dickson Brothers.

Money loaned on endorsed notes, personal securities and second mortgages on real estate by J. E. Swift, 9 Barristers hall. Telephone 405-4.

VIOLATED TRUST

Alleged in a Suit Against Senator Squire.

NEARLY $81,500,000 IS INVOLVED IN LITIGATION.

The Culmination of a Deal Made Many Years Ago.

MINNEAPOLIS, Oct. 15.—A local paper says that in a few days papers will be filed in a lawsuit which will involve the title to real estate valued at nearly $1,500,000, and will call upon United States Senator Squire of Washington for an accounting of property intrusted to him.

The plaintiffs are Colonel William S. King of this city, Philo Remington's famous antagonist in the historic suit of years ago, and Philo Osgood and John N. Goodwin of Ilion, N. Y. A quarter of a century ago King and Remington were close friends.

Years ago they invested heavily in western real estate, one of the deals being the purchase of a large amount of property where now stands Seattle. When the final crash came, this property was given to Remington.

To Hold In Trust.

Subsequently Remington, who died a few years ago, intrusted the property to his son-in-law, Squire, who is the defendant named. Squire, according to the complainants, had never made an accounting of the old trust.

The property, then worth a few hundreds of dollars, is now worth millions. Part of it had been sold, and none of the money, according to the plaintiffs, has reached their partners in the original syndicate. Even the unsold portion, which, it is alleged, Squire still holds, comprises a number of choice locations in the heart of Seattle. These properties alone are conservatively estimated to be worth from $1,200,000 to $1,500,000.

Attacked by Di Rudini's Party.

LONDON, Oct. 15.—The Rome correspondent of The Times, denying the reported coolness between Prime Minister Crispi and Foreign Minister Blanc and the impending retirement of Sig. Blanc, says that the policy of the two ministers is absolutely identical. Sig. Blanc's position is assured. The attacks upon him are instigated by the Di Rudini party, who oppose the triple alliance and the alliance with Great Britain.

The Fight Went On.

PARIS, Oct. 15.—During a bullfight at Dax, yesterday, an officer, escorted by policemen, went to the arena to stop the fight. He laid before the directors a legal paper forbidding the fight, but was ignored by them. The toreadors continued their work until they killed the bull, amid the cheers and applause of the spectators. After the fight the crowd hustled the policemen and jeered the officer. The town is much excited.

An Alarming Discovery.

HAVRE, Oct. 15.—Several packages purporting to be furniture were landed here from Southampton. Upon examining them the police found that they contained a perfect arsenal of anarchist weapons, including various bombs, explosives, old arms and ammunition, skeleton keys and burglars' tools. The Havre police communicated with the English police, who are trying to trace the packages to the sender.

A Magnificent Gift to a Church.

LANCASTER, Pa., Oct. 15.—Bishop Rulison of the diocese of central Pennsylvania consecrated the magnificent golden chalice presented to St. James' Episcopal church by the late Mrs. James Wiley of Bethlehem. The chalice is richly studded with diamonds and other jewels worn by the donor during her life. It cost over $6000 and Bishop Rulison asserts that it is the most valuable in the United States.

Socialists Hold Balance of Power.

BRUSSELS, Oct. 15.—The election returns now at hand are confusing, and it is impossible to tell how the election has gone. It is known, however, that the Socialists will be in a position to dictate terms to the Liberals, and if their terms are rejected, all the seats will fall to the Clericals, except that of Prime Minister de Burlet. All the members of the cabinet are re-elected.

Hawaiian Politics.

VICTORIA, B. C., Oct. 15.—Advices from Honolulu Oct. 5 state that delegates to the convention which is to choose senators and representatives adopted a resolution that no one who was not openly in favor of annexation should be elected. Registration for the election is proceeding satisfactorily.

Banqueted by the Emperor.

BUDA PESTH, Oct. 15.—King Alexander of Servia arrived here yesterday and proceeded at once to the royal castle, where he was received by Emperor Francis Joseph, who presented to him prominent personages. The emperor gave a state banquet in the king's honor.

Its Efficacy In Doubt.

BERLIN, Oct. 15.—Professor Virchow states that he believes Dr. Behring's diphtheria serum exercises a strong protective effect for weeks, perhaps for a few months, but that it remains to be seen whether the effect is permanent or really curative.

Boston Ship Abandoned.

NEW YORK, Oct. 15.—Steamer Lampasas, from Galveston, reports that on Oct. 9 she fell in with the ship Titan of Boston, Captain Allen, from Navasa, Sept. 27, for Carteret, N. J., abandoned. There was a very heavy sea running.

Robbers Are Still Free.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 15.—Not the shadow of a tangible clew to the identity of the men who accomplished the remarkable feat of train brigandage in Virginia Friday night has as yet come to light.

Couldn't Agree.

BERLIN, Oct. 15.—The negotiations between the brewers and the socialists to settle the long standing boycott against the breweries have collapsed. The boycott will be continued.

Tackled by Three Men.

LACONIA, N. H., Oct. 15.—Patrolman Felch, in quelling a disturbance at Lakeport, was assaulted by two men, who attempted to rescue an arrested party. During the struggle the three rolled down an embankment and the officer was badly injured by beer bottles. Cries for help frightened away the assailants, who were afterward arrested.

All Fixed Up.

BUZZARD'S BAY, Mass., Oct. 15.—Mr. Cleveland and family spent Sunday at Gray Gables. The president has completed the improvement of his lands, having had much plowing and grading done. He has cleaned out an old lily pond, which is to be planted with willows.

TRIBUTES TO DR. HOLMES.

MINISTERS PAY TRIBUTE TO HIS MEMORY.

It Was a Holmes Sunday at Boston—Paeans of Praise From New York Pulpits.

BOSTON, Oct. 15.—It was Holmes memorial Sunday yesterday in religious circles, and his poems were discussed and his songs sung in many churches. At the Bowdoin square tabernacle Rev. Walter Calley's special theme was the life and work of Dr. Holmes. The preacher said that the man who died one week ago was one of the most remarkable men of the century, and that his life work benefited the whole world. America not alone mourned him, but his death made a gap in the ranks of the foremost men of his time. Rev. M. J. Savage of the Church of the Unity preached on the "Religion of Dr. Holmes' Poems." Dr. Donald, rector of Trinity, paid an eloquent tribute to Dr. Holmes. Dr. Gordon of the new Old South church, Rev. L. B. McDonald of the New South church, also spoke on his life and work. Several of Dr. Holmes' hymns were sung by the choirs of the Bowdoin square tabernacle and Tremont temple.

AN OCTOBER SUNSET.

Dr. Macarthur's Glowing Eulogium of the Autocrat of the Breakfast Table.

NEW YORK, Oct. 15.—A sermon on the life and character of Oliver Wendell Holmes was preached last night by the Rev. Dr. Macarthur at the Calvary Baptist church. He said in part: "Never was there a more beautiful death than that of Oliver Wendell Holmes. He passed from earth to heaven as beautifully as the sunset on an October day. Never was there a writer in America or Great Britain more honored or beloved.

"Sidney Smith sneeringly asked: 'Who reads an American book?' While he was asking this question half a dozen Americans were preparing to write books which all the world should know.

"Among those men were Hawthorne, Longfellow, Emerson, Lowell and Whittier. Holmes was the center of this brilliant galaxy. There was no writer in the group who reached so lofty a position as Tennyson and Browning, but the average attained by American writers during the period is higher than that reached by British writers of the same time.

"One's heart grows sad as he thinks that the last of this group has gone. There was never before such an American school and in the nature of the case there can never be such another American school. Not until we have some great political upheaval or nature's cataclysm shall we again produce such a school of poets."

Dr. Colyer's Tribute.

NEW YORK, Oct. 15.—"The late autocrat of the breakfast table" was the subject of yesterday's address of Rev. D. Colyer, pastor of the Church of the Messiah. "I feel some touch of anger," said he, "because of the newspaper references to Dr. Holmes, in which he was described as a man of limitations. Such remarks, touching so grand a man, are mistakes. Of all men I have known I think he is the last of whom we could say: 'He wasn't this and he wasn't that.' He was just Oliver Wendell Holmes, the good physician and the grand poet. He was himself, and a bit of the truest manhood we have known in this generation."

Started Out as a Printer.

SANDUSKY, O., Oct. 15.—Oran Follette died yesterday afternoon in his 95th year. When a boy he learned the printers' trade and edited a paper at Batavia, N. Y. He was for some years a member of the New York legislature and an associate of Thurlow Weed. After removing to Ohio he was the editor of The Ohio State Journal, a member of the board of public works and president of the Sandusky, Dayton and Cincinnati railroad. He retired to private life in 1866, but continued to write for the press.

Robbed Mail and Jumped Bonds.

FRANKFORT, Ky., Oct. 15.—Edmund Crittenden was brought here yesterday from Canada and lodged in jail to await trial on charges of having taken money from mails while engaged as letter carrier in Frankfort postoffice. Young Crittenden was arrested last spring and defaulted his bond. It is said Senator Lindsay will make an appeal to President Cleveland to pardon Crittenden, owing to his youth.

Drink and Death.

MIDDLETOWN, Conn., Oct. 15.—John Swanson, aged 27, was burned to death at West Cromwell, about 11 p. m. Saturday. Swanson and about a dozen other Swedes boarded with Mrs. Beanbran. Saturday night the men went to the boarding house considerably intoxicated. About 10:30 o'clock Swanson took a lamp and went to his room and 15 minutes later the rest retired. Two men who roomed next to Swanson kicked over a kerosene lamp in their fooling. The flames spread rapidly and all the household was aroused but Swanson. No one had time to dress, as the house burned like tinder. A ladder was raised to Swanson's window, but the room was ablaze. Swanson was seen lying on the bed, apparently asleep, and was probably already dead from suffocation. The rescuers abandoned the attempt to save him.

Led a Double Life.

BOSTON, Oct. 15.—The Herald is authority for the statement that William Barrett, the alleged burglar held for the murder of Constable Farrar of Lincoln, is now known to be William Bassett, who for 15 years led a double life in Boston and New York under the very eyes of the police. He claimed to be a horse jockey. He looked, acted and talked like a gentleman. His wife is a refined little woman, who, up to a few weeks ago, had no suspicion of the real character of her husband; and their boy, a bright lad of 11, is even now unaware of the revelations against his father. They supposed he was in the horse business in Boston. His little family in New York were maintained in grand style, the rent of the flat alone being $100 a month, while the man himself lived royally in this city.

Child Was Spared.

BROCKTON, Mass., Oct. 15.—The house of E. O. Wilbur was struck by lightning during a heavy thunder storm. The chimney was badly smashed, brick from it being thrown all about the yard. The plastering was knocked from the walls of an upper chamber, in which a 2-year-old girl was asleep in a crib. The lightning came through the wall, just above the child, making a large hole, but the occupant of the crib was not harmed.

Is Queen Lil Crazy?

VICTORIA, B. C., Oct. 15.—A rumor is in circulation at Honolulu that Queen Liliuokalani had gone crazy. The report is not credited, although for several days she had not left the house she is occupying.

Scarise Is Missing.

BARRE, Vt., Oct. 15.—The Washington county grand jury has found an indictment against G. Scarise for the murder of Bollaldi here last March. Scarise cannot be found.

CHAMPION FEMALE SCULLER.

Miss Mosentheim Defeated Miss Ashley on the Mississippi.

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 15.—Before a throng which packed the levees on the other side of the river, and the great Eads bridge, Miss Rose Mosentheim, yesterday afternoon, finished easily first in the mile and a half sculling match for the female championship of America, defeating Miss Tillie Ashley of Hartford, who, seeing the race lost, stopped rowing before the contest was half over. The time was 12m. 28¾s.

ROSE MOSENTHEIM, TILLIE ASHLEY.

The air was crisp and cool, with a rather raw breeze blowing, which, however, had little effect upon the water. The course, which was down stream, lay between the great bridges. It was kept clear by patrol boats. Little time was lost in preliminaries, and at 4:35 the girls got away to a good start, each pulling an easy stroke for the first sixteenth of a mile.

The pulling was then strengthened a bit, and for the first quarter mile there was little to be seen between the bows of the two shells. At this point the St. Louis girl quickened her stroke, pulled into the lead and was never thereafter in danger. Just below the first half-mile the Hartford girl gave the race up and stopped, amid the yelling of men, firing of guns and screeching of locomotives from the tracks along the river front. Immediately after the close of the race the contestants were picked up by their tugs and taken to the clubhouse.

WEST IS MISSING.

Charges of Forgery and Bigamy Said to Be Against Him.

BOSTON, Oct. 15.—James H. West, expert accountant, confidential clerk, collector and bookkeeper in the office of the Mortgage, Loan and Trust company at 9 School street, has disappeared. It was on Sept. 22, says The Globe, that he was last seen, and now the bank police squad are looking for him to answer to the charge of forgery, which it is alleged he has committed.

For some time previous to his sudden departure forged checks, bearing the name of Manager Rothenberg of the trust company, were cashed on several occasions, and as Mr West cannot be found the police have every reason to believe that it was he who forged and passed them.

Besides the police there is another person who would like to see Mr. West apprehended. That is Mrs. West, a bride of but eight months, who has heard since Mr. West's disappearance that there is a woman on the other side of the Atlantic who took his name long before she herself promised to love, honor and obey him, and she would like to confront him with the statement.

So far no direct evidence that he has another wife living has been found, but an investigation is being made, and the suspense of Mrs. West No. 2 will not be of long duration.

HE DIDN'T RESIGN.

Pastor Hood's Pulpit Is Therefore Declared Vacant by the Presbytery.

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., Oct. 15.—Acting under the advice of the presbytery, Moderator Paisley has declared the pulpit of the First United Presbyterian church vacant. There has been trouble between the pastor, Rev. John Hood, and the trustees for several months, his resignation having been asked for as long ago as last January, and a memorial asking the presbytery to recall the pastor was sent to that body at the same time.

Mr. Hood agreed to resign if the proceedings against him were withdrawn from the presbytery, which being done and the resignation not having been sent within the time designated for its receipt, the pulpit was declared vacant yesterday.

Mr. Hood is very well known in his denomination. In connection with the trouble in his church he was arrested two months ago and obliged to appear in court to answer to a charge of assault and battery on the wife of the sexton.

Manufacturers Determined to Fight.

NEW YORK, Oct. 15.—The cloak manufacturers have decided to resist the demands of the striking cloakmakers and to refuse to make any of the concessions the workmen demand. This conclusion was reached yesterday. Sixty-three firms were represented in the conference. The aggregate capital, it was stated, of these firms is $40,000,000 and the aggregate amount paid annually in wages by them is $5,000,000. Some of the speakers said they would rather go out of business than accede to the demands of the strikers.

The Provincial Turmoil.

ST. JOHN'S, N. F., Oct. 15.—A sensation was caused here by the discovery that the Whiteway party had flooded the Trinity district with copies of a letter purporting to have been sent by Mr. Munroe, now a government candidate, to the leaders of the Whiteway party last spring, offering to secure the withdrawal of the elections against the Whitewayites for a monetary consideration. The latter is declared, by the alleged author, to be a base fabrication.

Big Crowd Attended.

NEW YORK, Oct. 15.—In the Broadway theater last night the Temple cup was presented to Captain Ward and his Giants. There was nearly $4000 in the box office, which will be turned over to the Giants. The fun began by a popular company singing a chorus. Attraction after attraction followed in quick succession. Justice Grady made the speech of presentation. Captain Ward made a short and pointed response.

Alleged Board Bill Jumpers.

POUGHKEEPSIE, N. Y., Oct. 15.—Captain Montague Martin, the alleged bridge jumper, and his manager, Duncan Ross, were arrested while waiting at the railroad station for a train for New York. They were charged with attempting to beat the Nelson House out of a board bill.

Fishermen Suffered Severely.

ST. JOHN'S, N. F., Oct. 15.—Banking vessels still arriving show evidence of the havoc played by the gale. The steamer Panther, from Labrador, reports extensive destruction along that coast as a result of the gale. Many craft are ashore.

Mrs. Sprague's Mistake.

NORTH ADAMS, Mass., Oct. 15.—Mrs. Marshall Sprague of this place took an ounce of laudanum, mistaking the poison for medicine. She was unconscious for several hours, but was finally revived and is supposed to be out of danger.

FOR BEAUTY

For comfort, for improvement of the complexion, use only Pozzoni's Powder; there is nothing equal to it.

Big Seizure of Liquor.

BOSTON, Oct. 15.—Ninety-five gallons was the aggregate of intoxicants seized by Lieutenant Brown's squad at the Jefferson House on North street yesterday. An assorted and expensive lot was secured. It varied from plebeian beer up the scale of excellence of wines and liquors, until even "extra dry" was included. George F. Green, a waiter, was placed under arrest on the charge of illegally selling liquor.

Long In the Master's Service.

BROOKLYN, Oct. 15.—Rev. Fr. Sylvester Malone celebrated the 50th anniversary of his pastorate of St. Peter's and St. Paul's church by a grand jubilee yesterday. The services commenced with a high mass, at which Father Malone officiated, assisted by Rev. Frs. Gallagher of St. Michael's and Wood of St. Malachi's, who were Fr. Malone's assistants for 14 years.

Skeletons Were Those of Smallpox Victims.

HINGHAM, Mass., Oct. 15.—The mystery in regard to finding the seven skeletons in the vicinity of the South Shore quarries has been solved. George Lincoln, the town's historian, claims that more than 100 years ago there was a smallpox scourge in the section where the skeletons were found. The pesthouse was then about half a mile from where the skeletons were found.

May Cost a Life.

MALDEN, Mass., Oct. 15.—Three carriages were in collision at the corner of Francis and Washington streets about 6 o'clock last evening. William Reed and his wife were thrown to the ground. Mr. Reed was badly injured. It is thought that Mrs. Reed's skull is fractured, and she may not recover. The men in the other carriage escaped with slight injuries.

Hanged by a Mob.

BEATTYSVILLE, Ky., Oct. 15.—Oscar Morton was taken from jail here and hanged by a mob of 100 men. He had been placed in jail for shooting and killing William Simms, sheriff of this county, who had attempted to arrest him for creating a disturbance at the county fair. Morton was under bond for killing James Wilson three months ago.

Struck by a Squall.

NEW BEDFORD, Mass., Oct. 15.—Schooner Fred Jackson was struck by a squall at the mouth of Vineyard Haven. She lost her foretopmast, foremast head, maintopmast and some sails. She was boarded by the lifesaving crew at Cuttyhunk, and after the wreckage had been cleared away she came into this port for repairs.

Was Sick For a Long Time.

FRAMINGHAM, Mass., Oct. 15.—Rev. Burtis Judd died Saturday evening, aged 76 years, after a long illness. He lived in Framingham about 20 years and was in the real estate and insurance business. He was well known in many parts of Massachusetts and Connecticut as a Methodist preacher.

Figures Cut Down.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 15.—The officials of the bureau of printing and engraving express the opinion that the losses of postage stamps by the thefts of Smith and his confederates will not exceed $1200 or $1500. It is believed that all of those who were implicated will soon be apprehended.

The First of the Season.

BELLEFONTE, Pa., Oct. 15.—A very heavy windstorm, accompanied by hail and snow, passed over the county yesterday, doing considerable damage. At Blue Knob, Cove Mountain and other peaks of the Alleghenies the ground was covered to a depth of three inches.

Catboat Capsized.

BROOKLYN, Oct. 15.—A catboat containing four men was struck by a squall off Coney Island and capsized. John and Daniel Bailey rescued one of the party, Walter Booth. His three companions were drowned.

Cheap Enough.

BERLIN, Oct. 15.—A Hamburg firm has purchased 100,000 Albini rifles at 4 francs each from the Belgium government for export to China.

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TEMPEST IN NEW BEDFORD.

Several Buildings Struck and Damaged by Lightning.

NEW BEDFORD, Mass., Oct. 15.—This city was visited by a tempest. During the storm a lightning bolt struck William P. Wilson's house on County street. One-half of a big chimney was knocked off and the bolt entered one room, where it did some damage. A barn on the George A. Potter farm on the Hathaway road was also struck by lightning. The building, stock of hay, farming utensils, four cows and two horses were burned.

Lucky Banker.

PARIS, Oct. 15.—George Banker, the American wheelman, won the grand prize of Paris at the bicycle races. The prize is a work of art valued at 2000 francs, to which the city council added 750 francs and a gold medal.

A FRISKY MUSTANG

Mixed Up Matters on Two Streets Early This Morning.

The mustang belonging to Victor Gelineu, a grocer, and hitched to a democrat wagon, ran away about 8.30 o'clock this morning in Middlesex street creating quite a stir. Down the street came the mustang at furious gait. At Burbeck's restaurant it collided with Fred Weaver's wagon, the mustang breaking away with just the shafts attached, leaving the democrat wagon in ruins behind it. The mustang kept up the lively hustle through Central street to the postoffice where it was caught. A woman crossing the street at Cluin's narrowly escaped being knocked down. Frank Weaver's wagon had an axle sprung.

Rev. Hugh Montgomery was naturalized in Strafford county, N. H., Feb. 17, 1875.

For This Week Only, Grand Sale of

Hand-Knit Worsted Goods, Infants' Coats and Bonnets.

Having purchased this gigantic line since the recent tariff reductions in wool, we are confident that the prices we name here are lower by far than any of our competitors dare offer. We are satisfied with a small margin of profit, knowing that a nimble sixpence is better than a slow shilling. Read every item carefully.

1 lot Infants' Bootees, hand-knit Worsted, always sold for 19c., sale price 10c. a pair.

1 lot Infants' Bootees, regular 25c. quality, sale price 15c. a pair.

1 lot Infants' Bootees, silk embroidered, long legs, well worth 50c., sale price 25c. pair.

1 lot Infants' Draw Leggings, in white and black, always 98c., sale price 49c. a pair.

1 lot Ice Wool Shawls in black and cream, well worth 79c., sale price 39c. each.

1 lot Ice Wool Shawls in black and cream, very pretty designs, well worth 87c., sale price 49c. each.

Other styles in exquisite dainty patterns, at 98c., $1.25, and $1.49 each.

1 lot pretty Worsted Shawls, in handsome designs and colors, 98c., well worth $1.50 each.

INFANTS' COATS.

1 lot Infants' Eiderdown Coats, tinted with Angora Fur, always $2.50, sale price $1.49 each.

1 lot Infants' Eiderdown Coats, in tan, grey and white, always $3.50, sale price $2.25 each.

Other styles at $1.87, $2.97, $3.97 each.

1 lot Infants' Hand-knit Jackets, in pretty colors, all sizes, well worth 50c., sale price 25c. each.

1 lot Infants' Hand-knit Jackets, pretty crochet stitch, with colored borders, always 75c., sale price 49c. each.

1 lot Infants' Hand-knit Jackets, in large sizes, very heavy, always $1, sale price 75c. each.

1 lot Infants' Silk Embroidered Jackets with ribbon ties, usually sold for $1.50, sale price 98c. each.

FASCINATORS.

1 lot pretty Wool Fascinators, in all colors, well worth 39c., sale price 25c. each.

1 lot Chenille Fascinators, with beads, in cream, pink, blue, black and chinchilla, well worth 87c., sale price 49c. each.

1 lot Chenille Fascinators, in the same colors as above, very pretty, well worth $1, sale price 69c. each.

1 lot Chenille Fascinators, all covered with beads in colors as above, well worth $1.50, sale price 98c. each.

Ladies' Cardigan Jackets—1 lot Ladies' Cardigan Jackets, in black, navy, garnet and brown, well worth $1, sale price 75c. each.

1 lot Ladies' Cashmere and Flannel Waists, very pretty styles, large sleeves, all colors, well worth $2.60, sale price $1.97 each.

1 lot Infants' Hand-knit Worsted Hoods, usually sold for 50c., sale price 25c. each.

1 lot Infants' Hand-knit Worsted Hoods, in all colors, well worth 75c., sale price 49c. each.

1 lot pretty silk shell cover, Hand-knit Worsted Hoods, well worth $1.50, sale price 98c.

1 lot Children's Silk Embroidered Bonnets, with full ruche, lined, always 50c., sale price 25c. each.

1 lot Eiderdown Bonnets, with full rouche, always 50c., sale price 25c. each.

1 lot Infants' Silk Embroidered Bonnets, in a variety of patterns and styles, well worth 75c., sale price 49c.

1 lot Infants' China Silk Embroidered Bonnets, must be seen to be appreciated, usually $1, sale price 69c. each.

Infants' Long Cloaks—1 lot Infants' Long Cloaks, ribbon trimmed, very pretty, well worth $3, sale price $1.97 each.

1 lot Infants' long cloaks, made from finest Cashmere, ribbon trimmed, well worth $3.50, sale price $2.49 each.

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Was Placed on Sale This Morning, Oct. 15.

At the Lowest Prices ever quoted on first-class merchandise. Our cash offer for the lot saved the manufacturer from placing them in the auction sale to realize money, and enables us to offer our trade a

Dress Pattern for Less Than Half Price

Nothing second rate. Anything of a shabby sort will not answer here. These are some of the prices—

LOT 1—75 pieces of Illuminated Jacquard Suitings, 50 inches wide, ordinary regular value 59c.,
Sale Price Today 29c. Yard.

LOT 2—Several thousand cards of Granite Novelty Cloths, 40 inches wide, in a bewildering variety of colors, we have sold same goods to date at 75c.
Sale Price Today 39c. Yard.

LOT 3—A beautiful collection of Silk and Wool Fabrics, in a superb assortment of fancy mixtures, 40 inches wide, many people bought same goods last year at $1 per yard.
Sale Price Today 49c. Yard.

LOT 4—An elegant assortment of Changeable Colored Mixtures, Cleopatra and Roslyn Suitings, Broadcloths in shades of Bluet, Marine and Lincoln Green, made to sell at $1.50 per yard, 40 to 50 inches wide.
Sale Price Today 75c. Yard.

LOT 5—Covert Cloths, Jacquard Velours, Zanta Novelties, in harmonious combination of color effects, every piece 50 inches wide, all high grade goods,
Sale Price Today 98c. Yard.

LOT 6—60 high grade Novelty Pattern Suits, no two gowns the same, every pattern confined exclusively to us in Lowell. Sold usually from $15 to $20
Sale Price Today $7.49 Each.

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